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LIFE SENTENCE FOR KIDNAPPER

His Wife, Doomed to Twenty-five Years' Imprisonment, Keeps Pact by Attempting Suicide.

MERCER, Pa., May 10.—After taking enough poison to kill two ordinary persons in a vain attempt to carry out her suicide threat, Mrs. Helen Boyle, for complicity in the kidnapping of Willie Whitla of Sharon, was to-day sentenced to serve twenty-five years in the penitentiary and to pay a fine of $5,000.

James Boyle, her husband, the principal in the case, was sentenced to prison for life. The maximum penalty was given in both cases.

Mrs. Boyle swooned as sentence was pronounced, and was revived with difficulty.

A carefully planned scheme had been laid by the couple to cheat justice. Mrs. Boyle occupied a cell adjoining that of Mrs. Ella Harry, who to-day pleaded guilty to the charge of killing her husband. Mrs. Harry is a victim of the morphine habit, and the drug had been prescribed for her while she has been in jail.

Mrs. Boyle learned that Mrs. Harry was receiving morphine, and she begged the tablets from the woman. Mrs. Boyle said this afternoon:

"Time to Shuffle Off."

"I was convinced that there was no hope for us to-day, and after walking up and down my cell from 10 o'clock until midnight I decided the time had come for me to shuffle off. I never used morphine in my life, but I put all the tablets I had in a glass, poured in some water and drank it all down. There was sufficient poison to kill two persons, but, my God, it did not kill me. When I lay down on my bed at midnight I prayed it would be my last sleep, and that when the sheriff came in the morning he would find me a corpse."

Mrs. Boyle was only partly unconscious during the night and was very sick this morning. The morphine, it is claimed, was partly responsible for her collapse in court after sentence had been imposed.

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SOMERVILLE WOMAN COMMITS SUICIDE

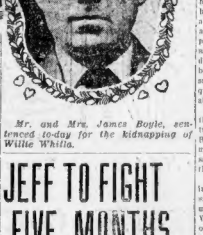
During a fit fo despondency Miss Nora Hogan, aged forty, residing at No. 9 Waterhouse street, West Somerville, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid on Osgood street, near Tufts College, Medford. For the past week Miss Hogan had been acting queerly, and a week ago, it is said, she attempted to end her life in a Charlestown lodging house by inhaling gas.

HAS FIT IN CELL.

John J. Coughlin of No. 92 Pierce street, Hyde Park, who was to have been arraigned to-day in the Municipal Court for robbing Alfred Jenson of East Walpole of a $42 watch and chain in Franklin Park, was seized with an epileptic fit in his cell at Station 13 early to-day and was removed for treatment to the Relief Hospital.

FINED FOR GAMBLING.

Dennis Twomey of Summer street, West Roxbury, and John Harrington, who were arrested for gaming on the Lord's Day on Baker street, were fined $10 each by Judge Perkins in the West Roxbury court to-day.



Mr. and Mrs. James Boyle, sentenced to-day for the kidnapping of Willie Whitla.

JEFF TO FIGHT FIVE MONTHS FROM JUNE 26

CHICAGO, May 10.—James J. Jeffries arrived in town to-day and at once declared that he would fight Johnson within five months after the expiration of his present theatrical engagement which expires on June 26.

Johnson has been in Chicago for several days pretending to fume over the delay of Jeffries to announce just what he would do in the way of fighting the colored champion.

"I hear he is in town," declared Johnson, "and I want to know right away what his intentions are. I ought to be in the East, training instead of loafing around Chicago waiting for Jeff.

"I want to get this thing off my mind before I sail for England. Later in the day I will issue a statement to Jeffries and all others whom it might concern, and I think it will be of interest to the retired champ."

ROOSEVELT FEATS STIR UP MINISTER

NEW YORK, May 10.—"The World's Champion Lion Exterminator" is the title given to ex-President Roosevelt by Rev. Dr. Rufus P. Johnston, pastor of the Washington Heights Baptist Church, One Hundred and Forty-fifth street and Convent avenue, in a sermon on "Is the Power of the Church Waning in New York City?" he said:

"Judging from the space devoted to the achievements of the World's Champion Lion Exterminator in Africa, he is of more importance and interest to the people than are all the ministers, sermons and churches in New York city."

ILL IN "ROGUES' GALLERY."

John J. Coughlin, aged thirty-one, of No. 92 Pierce street, Hyde Park, was taken suddenly ill at police headquarters to-day when he was about to be photographed. He was sent to the Relief Station. Coughlin is charged with robbing Albert Jenson of East Walpole of a watch and chain on Williams street, Jamaica Plain, Saturday night.

LAST PLEA IS SPOKEN FOR HAINS

FLUSHING, L. I., May 10.—Despite the official reported declarations of Attorney John F. McIntyre that he would carry the defence of Captain Peter C. Hains through on his insanity plea to the very end he appealed to the unwritten law in summing up his case to-day.

In a dramatic manner, the chief of the Hains counsel opened his address by declaring that the death of William E. Annis was the direct act of the Almighty.

"What man who loves his wife," said the lawyer, "wouldn't have morbid influences come upon him under such conditions as came about for this defendant. What man who loves his children and reveres his home could stand that terrible disclosure that was made to Captain Hains?"

Aged Mother Perturbed.

During the greater part of Mr. McIntyres speech Mrs. Peter Hains, the mother of the man on trial, bowed her face in her hands. She seems more feeble and more deeply disturbed by anxiety than she was during the close of the trial of her other son, Thornton.

Mr. McIntyre's appeal to the unwritten law was adroit and made in a negative way, but it was nevertheless an appeal in fair way:

"I cannot invoke the unwritten law or the Old Testamental law, which put to death the violator of a man's home. I am pleading insanity and I can say this man was dragged through hell by Annis."

Mr. McIntyre had not finished his address when the hour came for the regular mid-day recess which was taken until 1:30 p. m.

Mr. McIntyre opened his address with the blunt and forceful declaration that the death of William E. Annis was brought about by direct act of the Almighty.

"Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., was the agent by which this act was committed," he said. "Is the jury going to convict him and leave those three little children alone in the world? They have no mother, and some one must care for them. The prosecution says that Annis' death was one at the time he shot Annis. The burden then is on the prosecution to show beyond a reasonable doubt that he was sane at that time. The law does not require us to convince you beyond a reasonable doubt that he was insane.

"The State by a few acts and observations detached from a mass of evidence tries to convince you that he was sane. But even with those facts we have medical science which shows that an insane man may speak and act at times as though he were sane.

"The evidence of the experts in describing the symptoms of insane depressive insanity was that of a condition which might bring about the mental affliction. When the captain heard the terrible story of ruin of his wife and the destruction of his home it was then that melancholia took its seat beside the throne of his reason to hold his seats.

Mr. McIntyre made the most of the failure of Dr. Henry Hicks, the State's expert medical coach, to testify. "He was ever at the side of the prosecutor," said Mr. McIntyre: "But he did not take the witness stand. Why?

Comes to Unwritten Law.

"Was it because a full brief was not in? Was it because away down in his heart he knew this poor unfortunate man was crazy on that eventful day?" Mr. McIntyre then came down to the unwritten law.

"Yes," he exclaimed with fervor, "the district attorney says that this man was not driven mad by the fact that his wife had been dragged down and violated and the home of a soldier ruined. And then at the instigation of the man who had caused all of this wrong charges were made against the wronged man so base and vile that he was branded there brute from human. These charges were made by the unfaithful wife.

"Was this not enough to drive any decent, self-respecting human being crazy?"

The district attorney made several attempts to break in on Mr. McIntyre, but his efforts did not seem to hurt the effect that the pleading lawyer was striving to make. After an analysis of the expert testimony, Mr. McIntyre leaned over the prisoner, pointed to his bloodless face with both hands and said:

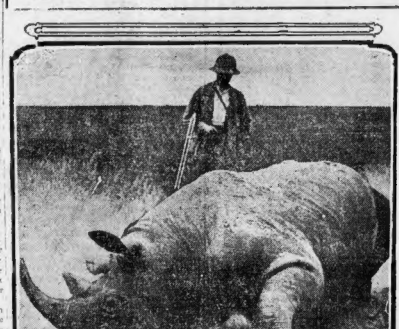
"I ask you to believe that this man was insane when he killed Annis." Mr. McIntyre grasped the prisoner by the wrist. "Not one of the State's experts ever felt his pulse," he declared. Then putting his hands on the head of the prisoner he declared that no mental examination of him had been made.

"Gentlemen," he cried, "you would not hang a dog on such evidence."

MASKED MAN ROBS MILWAUKEE CAR

MILWAUKEE, Wis., May 10.—A street car was held up by a masked robber early to-day at the entrance of Washington Park. He got $20. A shot was fired at him, but he escaped. He is supposed to be the man who perpetrated two similar robberies recently, in one wounding the conductor, who resisted.

ROOSEVELT IN DIRE PERIL SAVED BY SHOT



Typical sample of huge African rhinoceros, such as Roosevelt killed. They possess immense strength and when charging are liable to wound or kill the hunter with their horns or trample him under foot.

NAIROBI, BRITISH EAST AFRICA, May 10. — Theodore Roosevelt to-day undoubtedly owes his life to his unerring aim, which yesterday brought down a huge bull rhinoceros which was furiously charging him.

Mr. Roosevelt fired a bullet into the beast's brain when it was but fourteen paces from him. It plunged almost to his feet before toppling over dead.

This was the forty-fifth animal killed by Roosevelt and his son Kermit.

On the last dash into the jungle fifteen different species of game were bagged. Kermit is proving a mighty hunter, as well as his father. The force of naturalists is kept busy getting their game into shape for shipment, mounted to the Smithsonian Institute, Washington.

Captures Remarkable New Animal Alive.

NAPLES, May 10.—Relatives of Colonel Roosevelt here have received news that besides shooting lions, antelopes, a rhinoceros and a hippopotamus, he has captured alive a remarkable animal hitherto unknown. It is described as being something between a zebra and a giraffe.

The animal is probably the O'-api, which hitherto has been unseen by a white man. Colonel Roosevelt has shot a rhinoceros and a hippopotamus besides his earlier bags of lions and antelopes. He does not intend to try for an elephant at presen

BEVERIDGE AND ALDRICH CLASH

WASHINGTON, May 10.—A controversy was precipitated between Senators Beveridge and Aldrich in the Senate to-day when Beveridge asked to have inserted in the record a statement by Senator McCumber that there was no definite information before the Senate on the subject of a tariff commission and also a statement made by Senator Aldrich on May 6th that he had not read records of the hearing before the Ways and Means Committee and did not know what they contained.

Senator Aldrich replied hotly that he had given thirty years of his life to the study of the tariff, but admitted that his knowledge fell short of that possessed by the Senator from Indiana. If Beveridge would give a fraction of the time he spent in lecturing Senators, said Mr. Aldrich, and declaiming against a lack of information on the part of the Senate, to a study of the tariff much greater progress would be made.

JOKE WITH SNAKE MAKES BOY CRAZY

TACOMA, Wash., May 10.—Raving in his childish voice, the seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Seeley, around whose neck, in a spirit of fun, a companion of the child wound a dead snake a week ago, may never recover his reason. The children were playing near the Seeley home, when one of them found the dead snake. Picking it up without being observed by the other children, he quietly approached the Seeley child from behind and suddenly wrapped it around his neck, shouting as he did so that the snake had jumped upon him.

LOST CREW OF WHALER SAFE

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The State Department to-day received a cablegram from Consul Martin at Barbadoes that some of the crew, at least, of the whaler Carrie B. Knowles, who were recently reported imprisoned in Venezuelan dungeons, are safe at Kingstown, St. Vincent.

The United States official says he has only vague rumors, but that the authorities at Trinidad are investigating the whereabouts of the men. He says that Payne, the seaman who says he escaped from the prison where he was thrown with his commander by President Castro's hirelings, is still in Trinidad.

The Knowles sailed from Provincetown, where most of her officers and crew lived, January 27, 1904. She was never heard from after and was thought to have foundered in a West Indian hurricane.

The crew consisted of Captain Colis Stephenson, First Mate C. A. Martin, Cabin Boy Charles A. Martin, son of the mate; Second Mate Charles A. Marsdeen, Boat Steerer Robert C. Robson, Steward James L. Hazel, Mate Adolfo Percy A. Warner, Seamen J. Sam, Thomas Pierre, Joseph Grant, Arthur Lewis, Adolphus Jon, Thomas Ferry, all of the West Indies.

GAG STATION AGENT; GET MONEY, TICKETS

NEW YORK, May 10.—Two masked burglars broke into the ticket office of the station at Harrison, N. J., on the New Haven railroad, early to-day, and after overpowering Harry Burr, the ticket agent, gagging him and binding him to a chair, looted the place. The burglars took $80, a check for $16 and a number of railroad tickets.

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BASEBALL EXTRA NO.

RUSH FOR FINAL GAME OF DOVES WITH GIANTS

Fans crowded to the Columbus avenue grounds to-day the final game of the Doves' series with the Giants. Victor for the Doves meant second place in the National League nant race if Phillies lost to Brooklyn.

The Red Sox game at Cleveland was postponed—rain.

BASEBALL GAMES POSTPONED.

AMERICAN LEAGUE—Boston at Cleveland, rain.
NATIONAL LEAGUE—Pittsburg at Chicago, rain.
EASTERN LEAGUE—Rochester at Jersey City, rain.

KNEW JORDAN TALESMAN TO BE ECCENTRIC

Willis A. White, the insane juror who was one of the twelve men to convict Chester A. Jordan of murder in the first degree, had been reported to the District Attorney as a "peculiar, erratic and ecstatic juror. The fact that District Attorney Higgins had marked White's name on the Jury List for a challenge on account of this report, which he received from the sheriff's office, became known to-day.

White would have been challenged as a juror had it not been for the peculiar condition that prevailed at the time he was accepted.

White was the first man accepted of the 150 talesmen from which the jury was drawn. Some thirty of the venire had been excused because of their clear irregularity, or because they had formed opinions, or they had been challenged by the defence, before White was accepted.

Then the District Attorney got frightened. He feared that out of the 150 men a jury would not be empanelled with all of the objections being made by the defence, unless they went to the extreme of picking up jurors in the corridors of the courthouse or finding them in the street.

This District Attorney Higgins did not want. He feared a "frame up" of some kind.

In spite of the fact that he had in his hand the report of the "peculiar, erratic and eccentric" horse trader, Higgins was in a way driven to accept him.

It is presumed also that the defence had their detectives looking up the various men who made up the list of talesmen. If they had, they doubtless got the same report that had been made to the district attorney by the sheriff's office, because White was well

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ERIN BOARD HIT BY CUMMINGS

DUBLIN, May 10.—The official report of National President Matthew Cummings of the A. O. H. in the United States was issued to-day. It scathingly condemns what it refers to "as the scurrilous tactics" of the Board of Erin officers, Joseph Devlin, M. P., and John Nugent. President Cummings states that he and Rev. Philip J. O'Donnell of Boston had succeeded in getting all three of the Irish Orders of Hibernians outside of the so-called Board of Erin to agree to unite in forming one organization to confirm to the laws of the church, and to be absolutely non-political in its nature.

Many priests and laymen, according to the report, have reported to the envoys that the Board of Erin exercises an evil influence on the morals of the people, and the Board of Erin officers have absolutely refused to make their organization non-political. Until these conditions are altered, continues the report, the American envoys will not recognize the Board of Erin.

SWORD IS GIRDED UPON NEW SULTAN

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 10.—The ceremony of girding the sword of Osman upon Mehemed V., the new Sultan of Turkey, in succession to Abdul Hamid, took place today in the Mosque Ayoub, the only sacred edifice in Constantinople which Christians are not allowed to enter. The event was carried out according to the prearranged program, and at its conclusion His Majesty started to drive through Stamboul at the head of an imposing procession.

BEFORE THE OUTING

and after use Cuticia Cream. Protects the skin—prevents burning. No grease. At toilet counters.—Adv.

DOVES AFTER FINAL GAME WITH GIANTS

BOSTON.		NEW YORK.
Starr, 2b.		Tenney, 1b.
Becker, r.f.		McCormick, r.f.
Bates, l.f.		Murray, l.f.
Beaumont, c.f.		O'Hara, c.f.
Beck, 1b.		Devlin, 3b.
Dahlen, s.s.		Bridwell, s.s.
Sweeney, 3b.		Shafer, 2b.
Bowerman, c.		Schiel, c.
White, p.		Wilhelm, p.

SOUTH END GROUNDS, May 10.—There was no holler from the fans this afternoon at the weatherman about the cold weather he was dishing out, for the bugs who journeyed to the South End grounds went armed with fans, towels (to mop off perspiration) and plenty of loose change to invest in those "ice cold" drinks which are so thoughtfully peddled around by the strong lunged boys.

It certainly is real baseball weather—the first enjoyed by the Boston fans this season. And say, did they take advantage of the good work of Old Sol? Well, rather. They swarmed to the field like bees to honey to witness the wind-up game with the Giants and Doves, all hoping to see the team headed by Big Mike come out of the contest with another angora belonging to the McGraw bunch tucked away under Red belts.

The game this afternoon was the last appearance of the Giants in the cultured city for nearly three months, for the Giants will not return to Boston until July 20.

All the other games of this series have been won by one run but each manager tips it off that this game will not be decided by so short a margin and the teams went to it like old enemies when the umps called play.

White, the young carrot top, warmed up and seemed to have "everything". He had been ready to work for the past week but has not been sent in for trivial reasons.

White's first effort of the season in league grounds was a whirling one against the Trolley Dodgers and he stands at the head of the list of the Dove pitchers.

BOYCOTT ON THE PIRATES

PITTSBURG, May 11.—The International Steel Workers are sending out letters announcing that a boycott is to be established against the Pittsburg baseball club on the ground that the club is employing non-union labor in the erection of its new grand stand.

MAURETANIA BREAKS EASTWARD RECORDS

QUEENSTOWN, May 10.—The Cunard line steamer Mauretania arrived off Rock at 10:54 to-day, having beaten her own and all other eastward records by twenty-four minutes. She would have done still better had she not been delayed by fog off Fastnet. The liner's time from the Ambrose Lightship to Daunt's Rock was 4 days, 18 hours and 11 minutes. She covered the entire distance, 2,933 knots, at an average speed of 25.7o knots an hour. The best previous average speed eastward was 25.51.

The Thursday noon until Sunday noon the steamer plowed along at the rate of 26.3 knots an hour, a record for those days. In this time she had also a record run of 536 miles, a single day's record, 610 knots, as against 600. She made this distance between Friday noon and Saturday noon. The daily runs were 588, 605, 610, 609 and 532.

CAR JUMPS RAILS; PASSENGERS WALK

A number of passengers were hurled about in confusion and trolley traffic was blocked for half an hour to-day when a crowded inward bound car on the local at Reading Railroad jumped the track at the corner of Alford street and Arlington avenue, Charlestown, and bumped along the line. While the line was tied up scores of men and women hurrying to town to business were forced to take a short walk to the elevated station.

HIGGINS KNEW WHITE 'QUEER' BEFORE CHOSEN

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known for his eccentricities in his home at Maynard.

One of the peculiarities about the case now is that just what the government contended about Jordan, the defence now will attempt to show with reference to White in their efforts to get a new trial.

The government contended that a man to be insane and irresponsible would arrive at that condition by degrees, and that he would be insane, although not necessarily violently, some time before the acute attack.

Higgins claimed that Jordan was not insane on September 1 because he had shown no signs of insanity before that time. Now come Jordan's lawyers with the same argument in behalf of White—that his insanity was not sudden, but that he was insane on April 20, when accepted as a juror, remained so through the trial and his malady has reached its acute stage on Friday last.

Some Blame Trial Ordeal.

Some of White's home people who have known him for years are of the belief that White was not mentally unbalanced before the Jordan trial, but that the ordeal of the case drove him insane. Many citizens of Maynard hold to the belief expressed by a prominent citizen, as follows:

"Of course, Mr. White is undoubtedly insane now, and it is a very unfortunate case, but I think it is ridiculous to say he has been crazy for several years. Of course, I don't know just how long his mind has been 'out of kilter,' but I don't believe it was before the Jordan trial. If he had been crazy for a long time, as they say they are going to try and make it out he was, why didn't somebody that knew him well notice that there was something wrong about him?"

I have known Mr. White for about twenty years and have seen him frequently and talked with him, but I never saw anything out of the way about him and I don't believe anybody else ever did.

"I'll tell you one thing, and that is that you won't find anybody who ever traded horses or cows with White who will say he was insane. He was one of the shrewdest traders that ever dealt in horses and cattle around here, and if he hadn't been all right he couldn't have done as well as he did. Mr. White was quite a noisy man, but there are others around here just as noisy, and nobidy thinks they are insane because of it.

"Mr. White used to shout pretty loudly at his horses when he was driving, especially if he was just starting up or coming to a stop, but lots of horse dealers do that to show off and attract attention. Maybe they'll make out White was crazy before the trial, but they can't prove it by me, and they can't prove it by anybody that ever traded with him, either."

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At noon to-day Sheriff Chase took three hatpins from Mrs. Boyle, also all the glasses which were in her cell. The sheriff also made a thorough search of Boyle and found a razor secreted in the folds of his necktie.

Now Under Close Guard.

It is believed that if the Boyles's request last night to be allowed an hour's conversatiin together had been granted it was their intention to end their lives by means of the razor.

As a result the Boyles are now under special guard, which will be maintained until they are taken to prison.

After the sentence had been imposed on Boyle rose and said to the court:

"Your Honor, you are wrong about my record.".

"I think not. It is a matter of court record," replied the judge.

When Mrs. Boyle was ordered to stand up to receive sentence she was asked if she had anything to say.

"I did not do it, and I think th evidence upon which I was convicted was very flimsy," she said.

"That was a matter for the jury to determine," said Judge Williams, and then after a brief review of the case he imposed sentence.

Boyle did not make a scene in court as he had threatened to do. His counsel, Judge Miller, however, made a plea for both prisoners.

When the couple were started back to the jail from the court room Boyle managed to walk down the stairs with assistance, but upon reaching the front door he became limp and unbale to stand. He was lifted into the old-fashioned omnibus in which the prisoners have been transported for several days between the court house and the jail.

Mrs. Boyle Had to Be Carried.

When he was placed upon the seat inside the vehicle he was left for a moment unsupported, and fell nearly out of it before he was caught. He was utterly unable to support himself and had to be held all the way to the jail and carried to his cell.

Mrs. Boyle was even in worse condition. She was unable to walk down the steps to courthouse to the street, and was carried by Sheriff Cress and Chief of Police Livermore down three flights of stairs to the street. She was lifted into the omnibus, and when the jail was reached she was again lifted out by these officers and carried to her cell, where she wept violently.

SHIP CHANDLER DEAD.

Henry Andersen, the well-known ship chandler of No. 58 Long wharf, died suddenly to-day of heart failure while in a drug store at Atlantic avenue and State streets. Mr. Andersen was sixty years old. He had not been feeling well and had gone to the drug store to obtain relief. He lived at No. 273 Highland avenue, Somerville. He leaves a widow and several grown children.

MRS. SHAW TO MARRY CHAUFFEUR; FATHER TO HELP HER GET DIVORCE

Mrs. James F. Shaw photographed as she was selling tickets in the ten-cent theatre in California, which Chauffeur Marble, with whom she eloped, was conducting.

PASADENA, Cal., May 10.—It is now thought certain that H. Fisher Eldredge, the multi-millionaire Portsmouth brewer, will accept as his son-in-law H. Keno Marble, the chauffeur with whom Mrs. James F. Shaw, wife of the Massachusetts Senator, eloper to California, provided she can secure a divorce.

Mr. Eldredge, his daughter and her eleven-year-old son Eldredge, for whose possession a bitter legal battle was fought last week at Santa Barbara, are living at No. 424 Arroyo terrace, in the bungalow engaged by Marble when the couple came here. They are packing their effects preparatory to leaving on Wednesday for the East. Mr. Eldredge has secured passage on the Santa Fe limited for Chicago. Marble is now believed to be there, and it is probable that a meeting will follow their arrival.

When asked if he would give an authoritative statement to the press regarding the final outcome of the case, Mr. Eldredge said that as far as he was concerned it was a closed incident.

A number of visitors attempted to call at Mrs. Shaw's residence to-day, but they were denied admittance. The place is pointed out by public carriage drivers and by others as the residence of the woman who has figured so largely in the love tangle centering in Santa Barbara.

'DUTCH' STARS GET TOGETHER

About everybody who has attended a theatre within the last score of years has seen or heard of the poolroom specialty of Joe Weber and Lew Fields, the famous German comedians. The old side-partners who have given many a person a pain—from laughter—are to appear together again in Boston at the Lambs' Gambol.

This unique attraction will be given at the Boston Theatre on Tuesday evening, May 25. And the Weber-Fields old-time stunt will be but one of the features of the most remarkable program ever given on any stage.

Nearly all of the prominent actors, singers and playwrights of the country will be represented on the program, and each will do something that is particularly in his line. For instance, in the minstrel part, with which the show opens, there are such men as Eddie Foy, William Stewart, Raymond Hitchcock, George Hamlin, Andrew Mack, Eugene Cowles and William Collier.

In a funeral scene from "Julius Caesar" there will appear among other eminent actors James O'Neill, DeWolf Hopper, Wilton Lackaye, Joseph Herbert, Maclyn Arbuckle and William Farnum.

In a comedy by George V. Hobart there are such men in the cast as Donald Brian, Robert Edeson, Nat M. Wills, Digby Bell, Joseph Miron, Charles Evans, Charles J. Ross, Augustus Thomas, David Belasco and a score of others of almost equal prominence.

RELATIVES HUNTING MAN GONE 6 YEARS

Joseph Ciavaglia of No. 1,235 Washington street, West Newton, asks the BOSTON AMERICAN to help him find his cousin, Michael Coira, or N'Clio, who left Boston six years ago for Colorado and has never been heard from since. Mr. Ciavoglia says Coira promised him that he would write as soon as he was located in the West, but he never did. His aged mother, Mrs. Theresa Coira, who lives in Italy, is also grieving over the disappearance of her son. There is no photograph of Coira, but he is described by his cousin as short in stature, with one leg shorter than the other, and a red birthmark on his cheek.

Any information of Coira sent to the AMERICAN will be conveyed to his relatives.

TO VISIT SHOE FAIR SITE ON WEDNESDAY

By invitation of President Charles C. Hoyt, the directors of the New England Shoe and Leather Association will visit the new building of the World's Shoe and Leather Fair in Cambridge Wednesday afternoon. The shoe fair will open July 1 and will continue for a month. It will be the most complete exposition of the shoe manufacturing industry ever given. The New England Shoe and Leather Association, while not having any financial interest in the exposition, is lending it its moral support, and it believes that the fair will be a distinct help to the shoe and leather business of New England.

BOYS CHARGED WITH FORGERY ARE HELD

Thomas H. Woodman, Albridge C. Cook and Edward C. Cefey, Malden boys charged with forging and uttering, and arrested by Boston inspectors, were held in $2,000 each by Judge Bolster in the Municipal Court to-day for a hearing on May 13.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

LITERARY WAIL OUT OF CHICAGO

CHICAGO, May 10.—People who enjoy reading Robert W. Chambers owe their pleasure to the same psychological thrills that housemaids get from Laura Jean Libbey, according to James Weber Linn, in an address before the College Club. The only reason that readers of Laura Jean do not get satisfaction out of Chambers is that he is a few leaps ahead of her in education and his presentation is beyond them, said this young instructor in English in the University of Chicago.

Richard Harding Davis is popular because he presents the hero "ten feet high."

"I mean by that," said Mr. Linn, "that he presents a character whom we should all like to emulate. He hobnobs with kings and always does the right things. Moreover, he is momentarily creditable.

"Robert Harrick is John the Baptist crying in the wilderness for protection." He was referring to the author's latest book, 'Together.'

"People are not interested in books dealing with marriage infelicity, unless they are interested in marriage infelicity, but the books on that subject have a large sale."

GENERAL SOCIETY D. R. OPENS SESSION

The eighteenth meeting of the General Society of the Daughters of the Revolution, which will extend during the week, was opened to-day at the Hotel Somerset. Later in the day there will be a reception and banquet to the visiting members of the society by the Massachusetts members. Tuesday and Wednesday will be devoted to business meetings. The address of welcome will be given by Mrs. Sarah Weld Smith, regent of the Massachusetts society, and the annaul address will be by Mrs. Adeline F. Fitz, president general. Thursday, Friday and Saturday will be devoted to excursions.

STATE AND CITY CLASH ON OFFICE

GLOUCESTER, May 10.—George E. MacDonald, secretary of the Board of Overseers, and John J. Cunningham, city solicitor, are in attendance at the session of the Superior Court at Newburyport today, where Mr. MacDonald had been notified to appear, to show reason why he is holding the office which he now fills without having been certified as such by the Civil Service Commission. The action is attracting attention, involving at is does an those of the State, for the city is backing those of the State, for the city is becking MacDonald.

DEATH HOLDS UP CASE IN COURT

Because of the sudden death of his mother-in-law, the case of Herbert C. Sumner, a druggist at No. 176 Saratoga street, East Boston, charged with the illegal sale of liquor, was continued until Thursday in the Chelsea Police Court to-day. It is alleged that Sumner sold a half-pint of liquor to a policeman yesterday.

MONEY FOR CHAPEL.

In executive session to-day the legislative Committee on Public Charitable Institutions voted to report an amendment to the bill allowing $2,300 for a chapel at Lancaster by adding an appropriation of $31,500 for building and equipping a new dormitory for the Industrial School for Girls, with accommodations for thirty inmates.

TO-DAY'S CABLE NEWS

Up to Midnight, London Time

Russian Crisis Is Ended by the Czar.

ST. PETERSBURG.—The Emperor has confirmed the resolution providing for the reorganisation of the Russian Admiralty passed by the Duma and the Council of the Empire; thus all reason for diplomatic conflict ends. Mr. Stolypin will remain at his post, and the intrigues of the members of the Right in the Duma therefore are unsuccessful. On the contrary, they have strengthened the position of the Prime Minister.

Mrs. Asquith's Fashion Party.

LONDON—Mrs. Asquith, wife of the Premier, has given a novel party at the Premier's official residence, the historic No. 10 Downing street. The invitations read: "For tea and Paris fashions." A small coterie of the hostess's friends, including the American Countesses of Craven and Essex, applauded Mrs. Asquith's novel entertainment. The hostess had brought from Paris M. Poiret, the famous dressmaker, with three of Poiret's most beautiful models, and while the ladies sipped their tea the models paced before them, wearing the latest soulful gowns.

Boxer Victims Honored.

PEKIN.—The Regent, Prince Chun, who since the dismissal of Yuan Shi Kai has been collecting lists of officials who were dismissed previous to his taking office, has issued an edict rehabilitating the reputations and rewarding the families of five officials of the late Dowager Empress who were beheaded for opposing the Boxers.

New Cabinet for Persia.

TEHERAN.—At the Shah's request, Said el Dowlch, who was recently dismissed from the office of Foreign Minster, has formed a Liberal Cabinet. He will resume his former post, while Nasir el Mulk, now a refugee, will become Premier.

New Holbein Portrait Appeal.

LONDON—Lord Balcarres, chairman of the National Arts Collection Fund, has issued an appeal to the public for $360,000 to purchase Holbein's portrait of Christina of Denmark.

Buenos Ayres Strike Ends.

BUENOS AYRES—The strike has virtually terminated. Theatres and cafes are filled and the city offers its usual aspect except that the electric cars going to the suburbs still have a miliatry guard.

20 Buried in Explosion Debris.

ROME—A manufacturing plant of high explosives at Santa Eusebio was wrecked by two explosions to-day and twenty men were buried beneath the wreckage. It is feared most of them have perished.

Schwab Arrives in Europe.

PLYMOUTH, Eng.—Charles M. Schwab, the American steel manufacturer, arrived here to-day on board the Kaiser Wilhelm, proceeding to Cherbourg. He said that his trip was merely a vacation.

Italian Editor a Suicide.

ROME—Attorney Luigi Pericolo, also well known as a newspaper editor, committed suicide early to-day by hurling himself from the terrace arch of Sottimio Severo, seventy-five feet.

50 Vessels Struck by Tornado.

BOMBAY—A tornado has done much damage and cost many lives. It is reported fifty native vessels have been sunk on the Malabar coast.

Mulai Hafid Threatens Spain.

MADRID.—Mulai Hafid, Sultan of Morocco, has broken off relations with the Spanish Minister. He demands the immediate evacuation of the Rif country.

Tries to Kill Police Chief.

PARIS—A Pole named Vitkoff made an attempt in a hotel yesterday to kill Chief M. von Kotten of the secret police of Moscow. He fired five shots, but all missed.

Mikado to Receive Perry.

TOKIO—Johnstone Perry, grandson of Admiral Perry, will be received in audience by the Emperor Thursday.

To Form Portuguese Ministry.

LISBON—King Manuel has entrusted Senhor Wenceslah de Lima with the task of forming a new ministry.

Autos for French Liners.

PARIS—The French steamship line will this week start a service of automobiles to take passengers from Paris to Havre.

Baron Holstein Is Dead.

BERLIN—Baron Holstein, who was the right hand man of the late Prince Bismarck is dead.

Daughter for Grand Duchess.

PARIS—Grand Duchess Cyril of Russia, a niece of King Edward, has given birth to a daughter.

Einstein Dies in London.

LONDON—David L. Einstein of New York, president of the Raritan woolen mills, died here Saturday.

Public Hearing on Street Lighting

CITY OF BOSTON

Clerk of Committees Department

The Special Committee of the Common Council on Public Lighting will give a hearing to all citizens interested in the question of street lighting, in the Aldermanic Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, May 11, at 7:30 P. M.

JOHN F. DEVER,
Clerk of Committees.

INSURANCE TO PATRONS FREE BY VORENBERG

It is not often that a man is offered a $2,500 life insurance policy free, but this is precisely the offer made by Vorenberg, at the corner of Washington, Hanover and Elm streets.

To every customer purchasing men's or boys' clothing to the amount of $10 or ever, the firm will present a policy issued by the North American Accident Insurance Company of Illinois, which is good for one year. The customer has absolutely nothing to pay in the way of premiums, all registration fees, premiums, assessments, etc., being prepaid by Vorenberg's.

The policy is issued at once and no medical examination is required. To the relatives or legal representatives of any person so insured, who is over sixteen and under sixty-six years of age, the insurance company guarantees to pay $2,500 in case the insured meets death from accident while a passenger on any railroad or common carrier.

One thousand dollars will be paid for the loss of both arms or both legs, or an arm and a leg, or both eyes. For the loss of a hand or a foot $500 will be paid. Notice of the claim must be made to the home office of the company within fifteen days after the accident.

"We never look forward to calamities," said a member of the Vorenberg firm today, "but such things come when we least expect it, and too few of us are prepared for such occasions. We feel that in making this offer to our customers we are rendering a humanitarian service to hundreds of uninsured men whose mother or wife and children are unprotected in case the supporting arm of the family is incapacitated."

Vorenberg's, long noted as one of the leading clothing emporiums of Boston, is exhibiting values in men's and boys' clothing this Spring which the firm declares unsurpassed. The house especially invites every man and youth in New England to examine its famous Bell and Poole model suits, which are excellent in tailoring, variety and colorings.

TAFT MAKES MERRY AT CHURCH PICNIC

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 10.—President Taft interrupted his afternoon horseback ride long enough to join in a picnic held by the sisters and children of Holy Cross Academy, who had gathered around their new building on Massachusetts avenue.

The President was horseback riding with Brigadier-General Clarence R. Edwards, chief of the Bureau of Insular Affairs, and Catpain A. W. Butt, his military aid, when he was recognized by some of the children, who waved to him. Returning the salute, the President doffed his cap, and, to the surprise of the gathering, drew his horse up sharply, and, joined by General Edwards and Captain Butt, went over to where the sisters and children were having their afternoon meeting.

Immediately there was a flurry of excitement among the children, which gradually abated when the President shook hands with first one and then the other, having a kind word for all. Sister Veronica, who was in charge, then talked with the President, explaining points about the new academy building and answering questions pertaining to the childrens' work. The President was much interested, and remained some time.

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This contest will close the same day that the public schools close for the Summer holidays. In case of a tie for any prize offered, a prize identical in character and value with that tied for will be given to each of the persons so tieing.

May 10, 1909.

SEND IN FLAT PACKAGE DO NOT ROLL

ASK CASH FOR FIRE SERVICE

Mayor Hibbard to-day took the first official action toward installing a new $1,000,000 high-pressure water service for fire protection for the city when he approved a bill and a petition prepared by the law department to be presented to the Legislature which will give him authority to commence the improvement.

The Mayor expects the additional fire protection afforded will mean a considerable saving in premiums at a minimum of cost, inasmuch as the plans contemplate connections at Post Office square with the mile of salt water high-pressure pipe now in the business district. It is planned to have stations on Charlesmere and at Fort Hill square.

If the petition is acted upon favorably the Mayor will assume a loan of $150,000 to commence work at once.

He has made arrangements for the bill to be presented to the General Court under a suspension of the rules.

LYNN SHOE FIRM WINS DUBLIN SUIT

DUBLIN, May 10.—A. Donovan & Co., shoemakers of Lynn, Mass., U. S. A., have been awarded a judgment for £364 9s., due from Todd, Burns & Co. of this city for 936 pairs of boots ordered in October and December, 1908. Mr. Justice Madden declared that "one of the principals or the other was guilty of perjury." The defendants declared that no order was given, and the plaintiffs declared that three duplicate copies of the order were written out. It does not affect the respectability of firms. It is a question between employes. The goods were shipped and refused by Todd, Burns & Co.

TELLS BOYS TO BREAK UP GANG

NAHANT, May 10.—Boys went into the Methodist Church in this town during a prayer meeting, and while one pressed a button which turned out the lights another rang the bell. The ringing of the bell caused a commotion in this fashionable resort.

In the excitement the boys fled, but Policeman Cole arrested Charles Wells, twenty years old, and Harold Taylor, a year his junior, as the offenders and they were arraigned before Judge John Wilson in the police court to-day on the charge of malicious mischief.

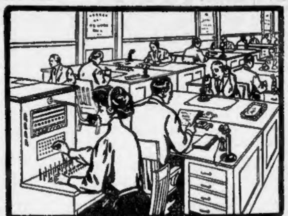
The police accuse them of being leaders of a gang of young men and boys who have been tormenting residents of this fashionable place by pranks of all kinds. Judge Wilson administered a severe rebuke to Wells and Taylor when he continued the case to May 22. He said:

"If you boys can go out and stop other boys from continuing these acts of vandalism it will help your case. I propose to be severe with you and make your case an example. But the penalty will depend somewhat upon your conduct between now and May 22."

CAMBRIDGE SEALER GETS NO SALARY

City Treasurer William W. Dallinger of Cambridge to-day refused to pay the salary of the city sealer of weights and measures, pending the decision of the courts as to who is the holder of the office. Mayor Brooks recently appointed Manuel Andrew, a Democrat, but Felix C. McBride, a Non-Partisan, who held the office, refuses to give it up, alleging that the position is under the civil service regulations, and that he cannot be removed for political reasons.

Business House No. 1



Business House No. 2

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Let us see:—His salaried employees, while waiting for their turn to use the single telephone, are losing highly-paid-for time. Suppose he loses—at a minimum—two dollars worth of time each day. Multiply this by the 300 working days in a year. DOES THE RESULT SHOW ANY SAVING?

In addition, his one telephone line is kept so busy with outgoing calls that customers—discouraged and annoyed with the repeated "line is busy" answer when they try to reach the concern—transfer their trade to some establishment where they can obtain instantaneous connection and attention.

WHERE IS THE SAVING?

IN Business House No. 2 the owner practises true economy by equipping his organization with a means of conducting its business in a systematic way, and with the least possible loss of time and energy on the part of its working force; that is with a PRIVATE BRANCH TELEPHONE EXCHANGE.

The additional expense of a few dollars a year in telephone equipment results in the saving of hundreds by increasing the working capacity of the organization and facilitating communication with customers.

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Commercial Department

PATTEN ROBS THE PEOPLE, SAYS WILSON

CHICAGO, May 10.—"The so-called 'common people,' those who earn their bread by the sweat of their brow, are being robbed to-day by the Chicago wheat king," declared Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson here in an interview.

"It is the most deliberately planned robbery that ever was committed in the history of the United States. It is not the case of the speculators preying upon another speculator. It is a case of speculators preying upon the poor—upon the men who work for a living, whose wives and children depend upon their wages for bread. They must have bread.

Planned for Months.

"This fact has been foreseen by certain men right here in your city, and they have taken opportunity to boost up prices to make millions—not mind you at the expense of other speculators in the same business, but of poor unfortunates who have to pay the price or starve. This thing has been planned for months if not more than a year continued the secretary.

"It was no accidental case. The men back of it are shrewd speculators. I give them credit for being the shrewdest that ever attempted to corner the wheat market. They did not go into it like Leiter and others to corner it blindly by boosting the market up without reason. They knew what they were doing.

"But these men are the greater offenders against the public. They set a deliberate plot to fool the public. Agents were sent out all over the United States to gather statistics on wheat. They were instructed to get a bad report. It was published. Speculators have said right along that the wheat crop of the country is poor. It is a lie, pure and simple.

Reports Were Falsified.

The reports have been deliberately falsified. The Government reports in regard to wheat are exactly accurate. It is not possible for Mr. Patten or any one else to get reports with the accuracy that we get them.

"We have been in the field for years, and have the best-informed men in the district from which we get the reports to look over the situation. The statement that we get our reports from country postmasters and persons uninformed about crops is ridiculous. There may be some postmasters on our lists, because there are many postmasters that are farmers. But there are few postmasters and no persons that do not know the condition in their own district."

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HEARS CUPID'S CALL ON PHONE

The friends of Miss Mae H. Carney, an attractive "hello girl" in the Revere telephone exchange, were surprised to-day to learn that she had forsaken the switchboard for matrimony as the result of a romance started over the wires. She became the bride yesterday of Frank M. A'Day, the Eastern representative of a Chicago manufacturing concern. The ceremony was performed at the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception Church in Revere by Father Mark J. Sullivan, at 2 o'clock. Miss Carney was attended by Mrs. William Mullane and the groom by the bride's cousin, William Carney.

Mr. A'Day has been engaged on a large contract in Boston for some time, and though it was understood that he was engaged to Miss Carney, their wedding was not expected at this time. They stated after the ceremony that owing to business which required Mr. A'Day's transfer to New York, they decided upon a quiet ceremony.

The first that Miss Carney's friends knew of her intention to wed at this time was when she walked into the 'phone exchange after the nuptials and presented her resignation to Manager Sidney Upham. Immediately after Mr. and Mrs. A'Day left for New York where they will reside at No. 391 Central Park West.

BEVERLY GAS CO. TO LIGHT TOPSFIELD

Before the Legislative Committee on Public Lighting to-day Senator Bray of Beverly appeared in support of a bill to authorize the Beverly Gas and Electric Company to do business in Topsfield upon the approval of the Selectmen of that town and of the Gas and Electric Light Commission. The Selectmen of Erving, with Representatives Upton of Orange and Haigis of Montague, appeared in support of the bill to establish an electric light district in the town of Erving bounded by the brook on Miller's River and by the line between Erving and Montague. There was no opposition to either bill. In executive session the committee voted to report both bills.

RELATIONS RESUMED.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The State Department was informed to-day that Minister Cobo, representing the Colombian government, has been received with marked cordiality in Venezuela, and that diplomatic relations between the two countries has been resumed.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS

A concert in aid of the poor of the Italian colony of Boston was given under the auspices of St. Mark's conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society in St. John's Hall, Moon street, last evening. An interesting illustrated talk on Rome was given by Miss Rand. The orchestra was under the direction of Signor Emilo Caruso. Others taking part were Miss Louisa Badaracco, mezzo soprano; Miss Lillian Tortorella, soprano; William McDavitt, baritone; Miss Margaret Kaye and Professor S. M. Calamera.

A monster bazaar opens to-night in Hibernian Hall, corner of E and Silver streets, South Boston, under the direction of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of the South Boston district, governed by the Building Fund Association. Every night during the week is to have special features.

The St. Joseph Holy Name Society of Boston present to-night their second annual minstrel show at St. Joseph Hall, Charles street. Over seventy-five young men compose the chorus. Miss Katherine Connelly, the only woman in the cast, will have charge of the music.

Governor Pothier of Rhode Island and Mayor Joseph A. Descarries of Lachine, Que., a former member of the Quebec legislature, Ex-Governor Guild, Mayor Hibbard, State Treasurer Stevens and James J. Storrow are to be the speakers at the French-Canadian night of the Intercolonial Club on May 14.

"The Parish Priest," a comedy drama in three acts, is presented to-night in Boston College hall by the students of the college. The title role is played by Joseph A. McManus. Others in the cast are William F. DeLue, William C. Gregory, Frederick W. Smullens, John J. Henderson, J. Edward Daley, Jr., Miss Agnes Casaidy, Miss Genevieve A. Sullivan, Miss Claire Dinand, Miss Margaret Coveney.

MAY YOHE, ONCE LADY HOPE, WHO GIVES AWAY SON

MAY YOHE GIVES AWAY HER BABY

PORTLAND, Ore., May 10.—May Yohe, formerly Lady Francis Hope, and later wife of Captain Putnam Bradlee Strong, became the mother of a son in Portland September 1 last. The facts became known when the child was adopted by Edward Thomas and wife, who had cared for it from a few weeks after its birth when the mother left Portland. Only recently would she consent to its adoption.

Mary R. Strong is the name signed to the papers. The mother came to Portland a year ago, and lived here as Mrs. Fellows.

Mary Augusta Yohe some years ago was prominent on the vaudeville stage. In 1893, at a time when she had been described in a newspaper as the "flat-footed prima donna with a three-note voice," she was married to Lord Francis Hope. As Lady Hope she appeared on the vaudeville stage wearing the famous Hope jewels. His lordship divorced her in 1900, naming Captain Putnam Bradlee Strong as corespondent. Strong resigned from the United States Army and married her in Buenos Ayres. The two appeared on the vaudeville stage, went to Japan, separated in 1902, made up, and finally parted in 1905. Since then there have been reports of a divorce suit being brought first by one, then by the other.

BOSTON GREETS THE RAILWAY MEN

All incoming trains to-day brought hundreds of delegates to the thirty-third convention of the Order of Railway Conductors of America, which begins to-morrow and lasts until the 20th.

The work of registering the delegates began at 8 o'clock at the Quincy House. The registration of auxiliary delegates was conducted in Room 245, Hotel Bellevue.

Among the arrivals were the grand officers, who are quartered at the Parker House and the Quincy. A. B. Garretson, president of the organization, arrived here with the secretary, W. J. Maxwell. They have opened headquarters at the Parker House.

To-morrow evening the division reception will be held at People's Temple, Columbus avenue. Addresses of welcome will be made by C. W. Merrill, Governor Draper and Mayor Hibbard. The response will be by President A. B. Garrettson. Others who will speak are Lucius Tuttle, president of the Boston & Maine Railroad; T. E. Byrnes, first vice-president New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; J. H. Hustis, assistant general manager Boston & Albany Railroad; Melvin O. Adams, president Narrow Gauge, and James W. Storrow, president of the Merchants' Association.

MISS KING REFUSES RADCLIFFE OFFER

Already having declined three offers to head prominent educational institutions this Spring, Miss Lida Shaw King of Boston, who, as dean of the Women's College at Brown University the past four years, has made a name for herself, is now said to be considering a call to become the dean of Radcliffe, to succeed Dean Irwin, who recently resigned. After referring to the offers she has refused, Miss King says: "I am very much interested in my work at Brown and would not think of giving it up."

INSPECTED BEEF BILL.

The Joint Judiciary of the Legislature has submitted to Attorney-General Malone a draft for a new bill to control the situation as to infected beef, which Mr. Malone is now putting into shape.

About People You Know

MISS ELLEN STONE, the noted missionary, gave a talk at the Central Congregational Church, corner Tonawanda and Waldeck streets, Dorchester. For more than an hour she told of her experiences as a missionary in foreign fields.

CAPTAIN EDWARD J. LEYDEN, deputy sheriff at Springfield, who served as second lieutenant in the Second Massachusetts Volunteer Regiment in the Spanish-American war, has been appointed deputy marshal to serve at the session of the United States courts at Springfield, which begin to-morrow.

ALLEN A. BROWN, founder of the musical department of the Boston Public Library, is the guest of Professor Edgar Stillman Kelley, the American composer, at his residence in Berlin.

THE REV. MERRITT L. GREGG announced to his parishioners at the People's Free Baptist Church at Auburn, R. I., that he had decided to accept the call tendered him by the Free Baptist Church of Laconia, N. H.

DEAN SABINE of Harvard, during his absence abroad, will make a study of methods of instruction there in mechanical engineering, and may be able, upon his return, to assist the college corporation in the selection of an instructor in mechanical engineering and industrial chemistry.

PRESIDENT RATSHESKY of the United States Trust Company, member of the Chelsea Board of Control, has arrived home from a three months' tour of the principal cities of Europe.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

COULTHURST SAYS EDISON OVERCHARGED

John A. Coulthurst, in an open letter, has taken the Edison Electric Illuminating Company to task for what he terms grossly excessive prices charged the city in the past and incorporated in the contract for the next five years, just approved by Mayor George A. Hibbard.

Mr. Coulthurst has for several years been studying the lighting situation, and at the cost of considerable labor and expense, has obtained figures from the principal cities and from this data has made a comparative table.

In addition to the open letter Mr. Coulthurst has sent a communication to James J. Storrow, President of the Boston Merchants' Association, in which he protests vigorously against the prices charged Boston for street lighting. He calls special attention to the change of attitude of the Edison Company in relation to prices in the last few years, and to what he terms the company's haste to force through the new contract before an opportunity has been afforded for publicity and proper investigation.

Mr. Coulthurst is thoroughly convinced that Mayor Hibbard and his advisers have been misled and taken advantage of under the new contract.

In the comparative tables compiled by Mr. Coulthurst, it is shown that up to about two years ago the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, for several years, charged $124.10 annually for each lamp, until the price was deemed excessive and the question was submitted to arbitration. The arbitrators ordered a reduction of $5.70 per light, making the price $118.40.

Within two years from the time the price last quoted was fixed, the lighting company, in its anxiety to obtain a new contract, voluntarily offered to reduce the price to $103.54.

The sweeping reduction was followed by public agitation and the company offered to furnish lights on a basis of $92.30 per lamp.

Boston, according to Mr. Coulthurst, compares unfavorably with many cities using practically the same number of street lights, notably Detroit, which enjoys a well conducted municipal plant. During the period of thirteen years that Boston has been paying from $118 to $128 per arc light, it has cost Detroit less than one-half that amount.

Although believing the success of the public lighting plant in Detroit is an argument in favor of municipal ownership of lighting plants, Mr. Coulthurst does not claim that the Edison Illuminating Company should supply Boston with lights at the rate of $53 per lamp, the present cost of Detroit.

He does insist, however, that nothing has been disclosed in the investigation of the Finance Commission concerning split contracts, padded payrolls and other mediums of municipal extravagance which presents a more intolerable situation than that which exists between the city and the lighting company.

FARRAR SINGS IN STORE CLOTHES

SPRINGFIELD, May 10.—When Geraldine Farrar, stellar attraction of the closing concert of the Springfield Music Festival, arrived in Springfield, she learned that her baggage had gone astray between this city and Buffalo.

The telephone wires between Miss Farrar's hotel and the department stores were kept hot for a quarter of an hour, at the end of which Miss Farrar had laid her plans. A minute later she was speeding in an automobile to the nearest outfitters. Several tape measures were brought into play to expedite matters. Patrons of the store pityingly commented upon the haste of Miss Farrar without suspecting her identity.

Leaving orders concerning other apparel, Miss Farrar returned to her hotel. Her costume was delivered at the theatre.

The operatic star's ready-to-wear gowns elicited from Springfield society leaders such expressions as: "One has to buy abroad, you know, to get such a gown as that," and, "It's really worth one's money to hear Miss Farrar, if nothing more than to see a truly well dressed woman."

WRECK OLD THEATRE IN RACE WITH TIME

NEW YORK, May 10.—At 6 a. m. to-day a gang of building wreckers rushed in on the old Manhattan Theatre and on Trainor's famous cafe at the corner of Broadway and Thirty-third street to tear down the structures. The wreckers have twelve days to tear down the place and clear away the debris, under penalty of $1,000 a day forfeit for every day over twelve. The minute the wreckers are through work will begin on the new department store to be erected there for Gimbel Brothers of Philadelphia. The Manhattan has been a Broadway theatre for forty years. Booth, the elder Sothern, his son, Mrs. Fiske, Wilton Lackaye and other stars have played there. Trainor's Cafe was even more famous than the theatre. Men-about-town for two generations have eaten there.

THUMBPRINT SAVES A MURDER SUSPECT

CHICAGO, May 10.—A thumbprint has cleared William Reilly of all suspicion in connection with the death of Mrs. Margaret Grippen, who was murdered in her home in Winnebago, Ill. Reilly, who was a neighbor of Mrs. Grippen, left his home shortly after the murder was discovered and came to Chicago. The authorities of Winnebago brought to Chicago a lamp chimney on which are finger marks, and also brought impressions of corresponding prints found on a door in Mrs. Grippen's house. Reilly was taken to the Bureau of Identification and imprints of his fingers and thumbs were taken. They were compared with the marks on the chimney. "They are entirely dissimilar," was the decision of the Bertillon operator.

1,500 HORSES TO PARADE MAY 30

Entries for the Memorial Day work-horse parade have closed, and the total number is 750. This means a parade of about 1,500 horses, covering in a straight line about four miles. The old horse class, the most interesting part of the parade, has sixty entries, among which gold and silver medals, sums of money and ribbons will be distributed liberally. There will be fifteen four-horse teams, two or three six-horse teams and a dozen teams of three abreast. Two mares with their foals will have a place in the parade, and the youngsters are being carefully coached for the event.

FR. MURPHY'S FAREWELL.

More than 2,000 people attended the Immaculate Conception Church to listen to the farewell sermon by the Rev. Antonius Murphy, O. S. F., before his departure for the interior of China, where he goes as a missionary.

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The response to the many bargains advertised in Sunday's papers was instant and unanimous. That there shall be no cessation of interest, we have arranged a list of special Celebration Sale Bargains for to-day and every day this week at prices which will crowd our store.

Hundreds of Bargains on Sale Not Advertised

Boston's Greatest Ostrich Plume Sale

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CHICAGO, May 10.—"The so-called 'common people,' those who earn their bread by the sweat of their brow, are being robbed to-day by the Chicago wheat king," declared Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson here in an interview.

"It is the most deliberately planned robbery that ever was committed in the history of the United States. It is not the case of the speculators preying upon another speculator. It is a case of speculators preying upon the poor—upon the men who work for a living, whose wives and children depend upon their wages for bread. They must have bread.

Planned for Months.

"This fact has been foreseen by certain men right here in your city, and they have taken opportunity to boost up prices to make millions—not mind you at the expense of other speculators in the same business, but of poor unfortunates who have to pay the price or starve. This thing has been planned for months if not more than a year," continued the secretary.

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"But these men are the greater offenders against the public. They set a deliberate plot to fool the public. Agents were sent out all over the United States to gather statistics on wheat. They were instructed to get a bad report. It was published. Speculators have said right along that the wheat crop of the country is poor. It is a lie, pure and simple.

Reports Were Falsified.

The reports have been deliberately falsified. The Government reports in regard to wheat are exactly accurate. It is not possible for Mr. Patten or any one else to get reports with the accuracy that we get them.

"We have been in the field for years, and have the best-informed men in the district from which we get the reports to look over the situation. The statement that we get our reports from country postmasters and persons uninformed about crops is ridiculous. There may be some postmasters on our lists, because there are many postmasters that are farmers. But there are few postmasters and no persons that do not know the condition in their own district."

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HEARS CUPID'S CALL ON PHONE

The friends of Miss Mae H. Carney, an attractive "hello girl" in the Revere telephone exchange, were surprised to-day to learn that she had forsaken the switchboard for matrimony as the result of a romance started over the wires. She became the bride yesterday of Frank M. A'Day, the Eastern representative of a Chicago manufacturing concern. The ceremony was performed at the parochial residence of the Immaculate Conception Church in Revere by Father Mark J. Sullivan, at 2 o'clock. Miss Carney was attended by Mrs. William Mullane and the groom by the bride's cousin, William Carney.

Mr. A'Day has been engaged on a large contract in Boston for some time, and though it was understood that he was engaged to Miss Carney, their wedding was not expected at this time. They stated after the ceremony that owing to business which required Mr. A'Day's transfer to New York, they decided upon a quiet ceremony.

The first that Miss Carney's friends knew of her intention to wed at this time was when she walked into the 'phone exchange after the nuptials and presented her resignation to Manager Sidney Upham. Immediately after Mr. and Mrs. A'Day left for New York where they will reside at No. 391 Central Park West.

BEVERLY GAS CO. TO LIGHT TOPSFIELD

Before the Legislative Committee on Public Lighting to-day Senator Bray of Beverly appeared in support of a bill to authorize the Beverly Gas and Electric Company to do business in Topsfield upon the approval of the Selectmen of that town and of the Gas and Electric Light Commission. The Selectmen of Erving, with Representatives Upton of Orange and Haigis of Montague, appeared in support of the bill to establish an electric light district in the town of Erving bounded by the brook on Miller's River and by the line between Erving and Montague. There was no opposition to either bill. In executive session the committee voted to report both bills.

RELATIONS RESUMED.

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The State Department was informed to-day that Minister Cobo, representing the Colombian government, has been received with marked cordiality in Venezuela, and that diplomatic relations between the two countries has been resumed.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS

A concert in aid of the poor of the Italian colony of Boston was given under the auspices of St. Mark's conference of the St. Vincent de Paul Society in St. John's Hall, Moon street, last evening. An interesting illustrated talk on Rome was given by Miss Rand. The orchestra was under the direction of Signor Emilo Caruso. Others taking part were Miss Louisa Badaracco, mezzo soprano; Miss Lillian Tortorella, soprano; William McDavitt, baritone; Miss Margaret Kaye and Professor S. M. Calamara.

A monster bazaar opens to-night in Hibernian Hall, corner of E and Silver streets, South [illegible], under the direction of the Ancien[illegible] der of Hibernians of the South Boston district, governed by the Building Fund Association. Every night during the week is to have special features.

The St. Joseph Holy Name Society of Boston present to-night their second annual minstrel show at St. Joseph Hall, Charles street. Over seventy-five young men compose the chorus. Miss Katherine Connelly, the only woman in the cast, will have charge of the music.

Governor Pothier of Rhode Island and Mayor Joseph A. Descarries of Lachine, Que., a former member of the Quebec legislature, Ex-Governor Guild, Mayor Hibbard, State Treasurer Stevens and James J. Storrow are to be the speakers at the French-Canadian night of the Intercolonial Club on May 14.

"The Parish Priest," a comedy drama in three acts, is presented to-night in Boston College [illegible] by the students of the college. The title role is played by Joseph A. McManus. Others in the cast are William F. DeLue, William C. Gregory, Frederick W. Smuliens, John J. Henderson, J. Edward Daley, Jr., Miss Agnes Cassidy, Miss Genevieve A. Sullivan, Miss Claire Dinand, Miss Margaret Coveney.

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PORTLAND, Ore., May 10.—May Yohe, formerly Lady Francis Hope, and later wife of Captain Putnam Bradlee Strong, became the mother of a son in Portland September 1 last. The facts became known when the child was adopted by Edward Thomas and wife, who had cared for it from a few weeks after its birth when the mother left Portland. Only recently would she consent to its adoption.

Mary R. Strong is the name signed to the papers. The mother came to Portland a year ago, and lived here as Mrs. Fellows.

Mary Augusta Yohe some years ago was prominent on the vaudeville stage. In 1893, at a time when she had been described in a newspaper as the "flat-footed prima donna with a three-note voice," she was married to Lord Francis Hope. As Lady Hope she appeared on the vaudeville stage wearing the famous Hope jewels. His lordship divorced her in 1900, naming Captain Putnam Bradlee Strong as corespondent. Strong resigned from the United States Army and married her in Buenos Ayres. The two appeared on the vaudeville stage, went to Japan, separated in 1902, made up, and finally parted in 1905. Since then there have been reports of a divorce suit being brought first by one, then by the other.

BOSTON GREETS THE RAILWAY MEN

All incoming trains to-day brought hundreds of delegates to the thirty-third convention of the Order of Railway Conductors of America, which begins to-morrow and lasts until the 20th.

The work of registering the delegates began at 8 o'clock at the Quincy House. The registration of auxiliary delegates was conducted in Room 245, Hotel Bellevue.

Among the arrivals were the grand officers, who are quartered at the Parker House and the Quincy. A. B. Garretson, president of the organization, arrived here with the secretary, W. J. Maxwell. They have opened headquarters at the Parker House.

To-morrow evening the division reception will be held at People's Temple, Columbus avenue. Addresses of welcome will be made by C. W. Merrill, Governor Draper and Mayor Hibbard. The response will be by President A. B. Garrettson. Others who will speak are Lucius Tuttle, president of the Boston & Maine Railroad; T. E. Byrnes, first vice-president New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; J. H. Hustis, assistant general manager Boston & Albany Railroad; Melvin O. Adams, president Narrow Gauge, and James W. Storrow, president of the Merchants' Association.

MISS KING REFUSES RADCLIFFE OFFER

Already having declined three offers to head prominent educational institutions this Spring, Miss Lida Shaw King of Boston, who, as dean of the Women's College at Brown University the past four years, has made a name for herself, is now said to be considering a call to become the dean of Radcliffe, to succeed Dean Irwin, who recently resigned. After referring to the offers she has refused, Miss King says: "I am very much interested in my work at Brown and would not think of giving it up."

INSPECTED BEEF BILL.

The Joint Judiciary of the Legislature has submitted to Attorney-General Malone a draft for a new bill to control the situation as to infected beef, which Mr. Malone is now putting into shape.

About People You Know

MISS ELLEN STONE, the noted missionary, gave a talk at the Central Congregational Church, corner Tonawanda and Waldeck streets, Dorchester. For more than an hour she told of her experiences as a missionary in foreign fields.

CAPTAIN EDWARD J. LEYDEN, deputy sheriff at Springfield, who served as second lieutenant in the Second Massachusetts Volunteer Regiment in the Spanish-American war, has been appointed deputy marshal to serve at the session of the United States courts at Springfield, which begin to-morrow.

ALLEN A. BROWN, founder of the musical department of the Boston Public Library, is the guest of Professor Edgar Stillman Kelley, the American composer, at his residence in Berlin.

THE REV. MERRITT L. GREGG announced to his parishioners at the People's Free Baptist Church at Auburn, R. I., that he had decided to accept the call tendered him by the Free Baptist Church of Laconia, N. H.

DEAN SABINE of Harvard, during his absence abroad, will make a study of methods of instruction there in mechanical engineering, and may be able, upon his return, to assist the college corporation in the selection of an instructor in mechanical engineering and industrial chemistry.

PRESIDENT RATSHESKY of the United States Trust Company, member of the Chelsea Board of Control, has arrived home from a three months' tour of the principal cities of Europe.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

COULTHURST SAYS EDISON OVERCHARGED

John A. Coulthurst, in an open letter, has taken the Edison Electric Illuminating Company to task for what he terms, grossly excessive prices charged the city in the past and incorporated in the contract for the next five years, just approved by Mayor George A. Hibbard.

Mr. Coulthurst has for several years been studying the lighting situation, and at the cost of considerable labor and expense, has obtained figures from the principal cities and from this data has made a comparative table.

In addition to the open letter Mr. Coulthurst has sent a communication to James J. Storrow, President of the Boston Merchants' Association, in which he protests vigorously against the prices charged Boston for street lighting. He calls special attention to the change of attitude of the Edison Company in relation to prices in the last few years, and to what he terms the company's haste to force through the new contract before an opportunity has been afforded for publicity and proper investigation.

Mr. Coulthurst is thoroughly convinced that Mayor Hibbard and his advisers have been misled and taken advantage of under the new contract.

In the comparative tables compiled by Mr. Coulthurst, it is shown that up to about two years ago the Edison Electric Illuminating Company, for several years, charged $124.10 annually for each lamp, until the price was deemed excessive and the question was submitted to arbitration. The arbitrators ordered a reduction of $5.70 per light, making the price $118.40.

Within two years from the time the price last quoted was fixed, the lighting company, in its anxiety to obtain a new contract, voluntarily offered to reduce the price to $103.54.

The sweeping reduction was followed by public agitation and the company offered to furnish lights on a basis of $92.39 per lamp.

Boston, according to Mr. Coulthurst, compares unfavorably with many cities using practically the same number of street lights, notably Detroit, which enjoys a well conducted municipal plant. During the period of thirteen years that Boston has been paying from $118 to $128 per arc light, it has cost Detroit less than one-half that amount.

Although believing the success of the public lighting plant in Detroit is an argument in favor of municipal ownership of lighting plants, Mr. Coulthurst does not claim that the Edison Illuminating Company should supply Boston with lights at the rate of $53 per lamp, the present cost of Detroit.

He does insist, however, that nothing has been disclosed in the investigation of the Finance Commission concerning split contracts, padded payrolls and other mediums of municipal extravagance which presents a more intolerable situation than that which exists between the city and the lighting company.

FARRAR SINGS IN STORE CLOTHES

SPRINGFIELD, May 10.—When Geraldine Farrar, stellar attraction of the closing concert of the Springfield Music Festival, arrived in Springfield, she learned that her baggage had gone astray between this city and Buffalo.

The telephone wires between Miss Farrar's hotel and the department stores were kept hot for a quarter of an hour, at the end of which Miss Farrar had laid her plans. A minute later she was speeding in an automobile to the nearest outfitters. Several tape measures were brought into play to expedite matters. Patrons of the store pityingly commented upon the haste of Miss Farrar without suspecting her identity.

Leaving orders concerning other apparel, Miss Farrar returned to her hotel. Her costume was delivered at the theatre.

The operatic star's ready-to-wear gowns elicited from Springfield society leaders such expressions as : "One has to buy abroad, you know, to get such a gown as that," and, "It's really worth one's money to hear Miss Farrar, if nothing more than to see a truly well dressed woman."

WRECK OLD THEATRE IN RACE WITH TIME

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Bleached Pillow Cases, made from extra heavy cotton. *Celebration Price*..............**9¢**

Bleached Pillow Cases (2 sizes), 42x38½, 45x36; value 16c and 17c. *Celebration Price*..................**12½¢**

Hemmed White Crochet Spreads (subject to slight mill imperfections), 3 grades, as follows: White crochet spreads; regular price 85c. *Celebration Price*..............**59¢**

White Cochet Spreads; regular price 98c. *Celebration Price*.**68¢**

White Crochet Spreads; regular price $1.50. *Celebration Price*..................**95¢**

Silkoline Comforter, full size, figured both sides; regular price $1.25 each. *Celebration Price*..................**89¢**

Bleached Satin Damask Tray Cloths, guaranteed all pure linen, never sold less than 19c each. *Celebration Price*.**14¢**

Feather Bed Pillows, best A. C. A. ticking; regular price $2.00 pair. *Celebration Price* 63c each, or, pair............**1.25**

Handsome Skirts for Women

The price won't cover the cost of the cloth in these skirts—especially since they are good grades—fine panamas and strong Sicilian in black and navy. The lot consists of 300 skirts that would ordinarily sell at $3.95 and $4.95, all at, choice each.

2.44

Girls' Handsome Tailored Box Coats

Sizes 6 to 14 Years Made of all wool fancy or plain Thibet cloth, in large variety of patterns and colorings, collarless and notch collar effect, some smartly trimmed, others severely tailored, regular price, $3.50. Celebration Price **1.69**

DOUBLE LEGAL STAMPS EVERY DAY UNTIL 12 NOON

MAKE MIGHTY EFFORT FOR FAME IN TOUR RACE

MORE subscriptions! Make a mighty effort. Get up among the leaders to-day. It isn't the fellow who is following the snail pace who is gaining results in the affairs of the world. It is the man with the mighty will, who makes up his mind to attain a certain end and GOES AT IT. That's the man who WINS. Nothing can deter him from his chosen course. Now then! Who is going to be the boy and girl with the mighty stroke in this great contest for the Free Vacation Tours offered by the BOSTON AMERICAN?

Standing Next Sunday.

The standing of the contestants will be published next Sunday for the first time, and it behooves every boy and girl to clamber as near the top as possible, for this is the first publication of the standing. All votes which are in this office up to Tuesday night will be included in the count, as Tuesday closes the first month's voting.

The first appearance of the vote standing will set the pace for the anxious, eager, enthusiastic boys and girls. From then on will ensue a merry battle, and the leaders will have to look to their laurels. Those who are down at the bottom of the list have an excellent chance to catch up and pass them.

The subscription plan of vote-getting makes it possible to overcome any sort of a lead. Ten yearly subscriptions count up 25,000 votes, and any contestant can gain that many by devoting himself to a good hard day's work.

Your Chance Is Good.

Even if you have not sent in a single subscription yet, you have as good a chance to win one of those tour prizes, as any other boy or girl, no matter how many subscriptions he may have. Even if you haven't started yet your chance is good. All it means is just work and if you are a hustler and a worker, you will not admit that your rivals are harder workers or more energetic than you are.

The battle has only just started. Line up your plans of campaign. Put on your fighting armor. Reinforce your lines with determination and effort and just watch the result.

The battle grows more intense and interesting every day. This is an opportunity to show your mettle. Prove yourself a worker. Prove yourself a hustler.

The list will be published next Sunday. Are you going to lead? It's up to you entirely. You will attract numberless supporters by making a good showing in the first publication. Then keep it up. Remember there are many hard workers in the contest and they are not going to let you calmly walk off with the prize. No indeed. They mean to make just as hard a fight for it as you do. They realize the reward at stake.

After the first publication, the voting lists will be open to inspection by the candidates, but they must come to the Around-the-World Department properly identified, as only their own record will be open to them. They cannot see the record of any other boy or girl.

Use Care in Directions.

Boys and girls, writing out the subscriptions, be careful to state the names of the cities and the names of the towns. State whether the subscriber lives on a street, avenue, terrace or court. Do not take it for granted that we know where the paper is to go, or that we can guess. Complaints are coming in from your friends about the non-delivery of the papers. Whose fault is it? Nine cases out of ten it is due to your own carelessness in writing the subscription. The best way to avoid this is to use care in making out the subscription, and be sure to name the dealers wherever possible.

Fill the voting coupons in properly and be sure to watch the time limit. Only those will be counted which comply with the rules of the contest.

Get out and hustle. Now that you have seen the travelogue, you have a better idea of the things that you will see and encounter and the style in which you will travel.

Write Letters.

Be sure and write letters. We will be glad to advise you on any point on which you are in doubt. Write your plans of subscription getting to the Around-the-World Editor. Ask him for plans. He has lots of them. Perhaps some of his ideas of securing subscriptions have never occurred to you and are just what you need. They are yours for the asking. Come up to the Around-the-World Department and have a talk with the Editor. That's what he is there for. Get better acquainted and you will see how easy it will make your work. It must. He is hearing the difficulties which beset some of the other boys and girls and is showing them how to overcome them. Perhaps some of them may fit your case exactly. Come up. Talk with him! It will do you a whole pile of good. We want to help everyone individually and collectively.

Subscriptions Count.

Above all, boys and girls, don't forget that subscriptions to the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN are what will help you more than anything else. Now that the public has become more acquainted with the conditions of the Free Tours offer, and the magnificence of the plan, they are more willing to help the school children.

When your friends place a subscription ask them to interest their friends. You can get an endless chain of assistance, if you will only go at it. It is the boy or girl who strikes out straight from the shoulder who is going to win one of these trips. You will see him or her bounding up the gang plank, on the great starting day, rushing to take a place on deck, the proclaimed victor of one of the greatest contests the world has ever known.

You can be there, too, if you will only work for it. HUSTLE, DIG, GRIND, WORK. It can't get by you. YOU MUST WIN. IT'S UP TO YOU. GO AT IT. Get subscriptions and win the prize.

SOME SUBSCRIPTION-GETTING CAMPAIGN PLANS OF CANDIDATES.

The firemen's candidate, Leo X. Hughes of No. 777 Columbia road, Dorchester.

WONDERFUL TRAVELS FREE

FOR SCHOOLBOYS.

Fourteen Years Old or Over.

FOUR FIRST PRIZES.

A Race Around the World between two teams of two boys each, one traveling East and the other traveling West, to establish a new world's record. Each boy will select his own escort.

TWENTY-FIVE OTHER PRIZES

Twenty-five other boys will be sent in a special Pullman car to New York, Washington and Niagara Falls. Each of these winners will have the privilege of selecting his own escort.

FOR SCHOOLGIRLS.

Fourteen Years Old or Over.

FOUR FIRST PRIZES.

A Trip to Europe for each of four girls to be selected. They will visit all points of interest on the Continent and will be accompanied by chaperones of their own selection.

TWENTY-FIVE OTHER PRIZES

Twenty-five other girls will be sent in a special Pullman car to New York, Washington and Niagara Falls. Each of these winners will have the privilege of selecting her own chaperone.

The BOSTON AMERICAN will pay all expenses. Schoolboys and schoolgirls of Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Connecticut east of the Connecticut River are eligible. Any pupil in good standing in public or private school, college, university or parochial school is eligible.

HOW TO VOTE!

A coupon good for ONE VOTE is published to-day on PAGE 2 in this and every edition of the Boston American. Clip these, have your friends clip them, and send them to the Around-the-World Editor, Boston American, Boston, Mass. Each coupon will be good only if sent or brought in on or before the date indicated thereon.

Paid-in-advance subscriptions to the Boston Sunday American, obtained by candidates, will count for votes as follows:

IN METROPOLITAN BOSTON.

3 months' subscription, $ .65, counts 600 votes.
6 months' subscription, $1.25, counts 1,200 votes.
12 months' subscription, $2.50, counts 2,500 votes.

WHERE CARRIER PRICE IS 6 CENTS.

3 months' subscription, $ .75, counts 750 votes.
6 months' subscription, $1.50, counts 1,500 votes.
12 months' subscription, $3.00, counts 3,000 votes.

WHERE CARRIER PRICE IS 7 CENTS.

3 months' subscription, $ .90, counts 900 votes.
6 months' subscription, $1.80, counts 1,800 votes.
12 months' subscription, $3.50, counts 3,600 votes.

WHERE CARRIER PRICE IS 8 CENTS.

3 months' subscription, $1.00, counts 1,000 votes.
6 months' subscription, $2.00, counts 2,250 votes.
12 months' subscription, $4.00, counts 5,000 votes.

In towns where the newsdealer's charge is greater than 8 cents per Sunday the Sunday American will be sent by mail.

The difference in number of votes given for the same period of subscription inside and outside of Greater Boston is to equalize the difference in subscription price, so that the country candidates shall have the same opportunity to win as the city candidates.

SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS MAY BE OBTAINED AT ANY TIME BY APPLICATION AT THE BOSTON AMERICAN OFFICE, OR BY WRITING TO THE AROUND-THE-WORLD EDITOR.

No Caffeine in Hires

But it does not have to rely on the absence of caffeine for its popularity.

It is a great drink anyhow—refreshes and invigorates the system. Good for the digestion.

Speaking of caffeine in beverages offered to children, the most celebrated chemist and food authority of the United States says:

"I consider this drug far more injurious in the pure state in which it is used in these drinks than when it is combined with other substances in tea and coffee."

Hires

5c All Fountains Or in Bottles

contains no caffeine—no drugs—no false stimulants. Made of Nature's purest products—

Call for it by name

Hires

PORTO RICANS UNFIT TO RULE, INSISTS TAFT

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The President to-day sent to Congress a message concerning Porto Rico. It is in part as follows:

"An emergency has arisen in Porto Rico which makes it necessary for me to invite the attention of Congress to the affairs of that island and to recommend legislation at the present extra session amending the act under which the island is governed.

"The regular session of the legislative assembly of Porto Rico adjourned March 11 last without passing the usual appropriation bills. A special session of the assembly was at once convened by the government, but after three days, on March 16, it again adjourned without making the appropriations. This leaves the island government without provision for its support after June 3 next. The situation presented is therefore of unusual gravity.

"Ever since the institution of the present Assembly the House of Delegates has held up the appropriation bills until the last minute of the regular session and has sought to use the power to do so as a means of compelling the concurrence of the Executive Council in legislation which the House desired. The attitude of the Executive Council in refusing to pass these bills led the House of Delegates to refuse to pass the necessary appropriation bills.

"The facts are cited to demonstrate the willingness of the representatives of the people in the House of Delegates to subvert the government in order to secure the passage of certain legislation.

"For these reasons I recommend an amendment to the Foraker act providing that whenever the legislative assembly shall adjourn without making the appropriations necessary to carry on the government, sums equal to the appropriation made in the previous year for the respective purposes shall be available from the current revenue and shall be drawn by the warrant of the auditor on the treasurer and countersigned by the governor.

"Such a provision applies to the legislature of the Philippines and Hawaii, and it has prevented in these two countries any misuse of the power of appropriations.

Later in the message the President says:

"I do not doubt that the terms of the existing fundamental act might be improved in qualifying some of its provisions as to the respective jurisdictions of the executive council and the legislative assembly, and I suggest to Congress the wisdom of submitting to the appropriate committees this question of revision. But no action of this kind should be begun until after, by special amendment of the Foraker act, the absolute power of appropriation is taken away from those who have shown themselves too irresponsible to enjoy it.

"In the desire of certain of their leaders for political power Porto Ricans have forgotten the generosity of the United States in its dealings with them."

B'RITH ABRAHAM AGAIN NEAR RIOT

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Scenes of the greatest disorder to-day marked the session of the Independent Order of B'rith Abraham, and the accusations and recriminations that were hurled back and forth at yesterday's session were repeated to-day. At one time nearly all the delegates were on the floor talking at the same time, and the chairman was unable to preserve order. Yiddish, German and English speeches were features of the session. Judge Leon Sanders of New York city was nominated for grand master. Max Stern, the present grand master, in an impassioned speech, declined the nomination. M. Silinsky of New York also refused the nomination.

DRY GOODS BLAZE DOES $500 DAMAGE

Alarm was caused among the residents of the Creek section of East Boston when fire was discovered in the dry goods store of Nathan Levenson, No. 142 Chelsea street. Clerks notified the three families living in the apartments above and they gathered up their personal effects and fled to the street. The fire was held in the store. The damage to the merchandise was $500.

TARIFF ACTION HAS UNCLE JOE GUESSING

WASHINGTON, May 10.—In the opinion of Uncle Joe Cannon there is no telling when the Senate will finish the tariff bill. The veteran statesman said to-day at the White House that the only thing which would force the Senate to consider the previous question and adjourn was ninety degrees in the shade in Washington. "When that condition arises the Senate will make remarkable progress," said Speaker Cannon.

BIGAMIST REAL WIDOWER NOW, AND DIVORCEE

NEW YORK, May 10.—Married in 1886 to a man who had another spouse and two children, living with him for twenty-two years and for thirteen of them after she discovered his dual existence, only to be divorced on the ground of bigamy after the lawful wife died; all this tells the story of the amazing love tangle of Mrs. Margaret McNaughton of Brooklyn.

She has just been freed from Charles H. McNaughton of Bloomfield, N. J., by Justice Scudder at Mineola, L. I.

She married McNaughton December 12, 1886, and ten years later heard he had married Miss Annie Holsey in 1876. At the time the papers were filed McNaughton was again living with his lawful wife and their two children, but Mrs. McNaughton died on April 17.

Mrs. McNaughton No. 2 is a handsome, statuesque woman of about forty, with flashing blue eyes and hair prematurely gray.

She says that on finding she had a rival she visited the first wife.

"I want to say that the real Mrs. McNaughton was a fine woman," she added. "She treated me with great consideration, and I must admit I liked her. When I started to introduce myself she said I needn't mind, as she knew all about my marriage. Charles had told her, it seems.

"'I told Charles,' she said to me, 'that I was glad he had found a woman who could give him a nice home and make him comfortable. I said I didn't mind; in fact, I was pleased.' Then she told me she couldn't possibly live with him, and that if I wanted him I could have him. 'But you must promise not to have him arrested for bigamy, on account of his two children,' she added.

"I made a solemn vow, in the presence of Mrs. Smith, that I would never cause any trouble so far as bigamy was concerned."

FINED FOR AUTO SPEEDING.

Two men were fined by Judge Churchill in the Dorchester Police Court to-day for auto speeding on Columbia road. John D. Ward of No. 141 Winthrop avenue, Wollaston, paid $5, and Arthur J. Andrews of No. 99 Calumet street, Roxbury, paid $8.

LABOR

To-morrow morning at 10 o'clock, the Brotherhood of Railroad Station Employes will begin its second general convention in Locomotive Engineers Hall, No. 164 Canal street. The organization which is composed of men on the Boston & Maine and Maine Central systems will be in session until Saturday. Grand Secretary-Treasurer B. B. Small of Portland, Me., has established headquarters at the Quincy House.

Teamsters No. 25, by unanimous vote is recorded against wood block paving on any of the down town streets or heavy teaming avenues, because of dangerous footing for horses, especially in damp, wet or frosty weather.

Boston & Maine Railroad Freight Handlers No. 5572, K. of L., employed at the Boston freight terminals, have petitioned for an increase of wages. The men claim that they have received increases amounting to only 25 cents a day in the past twenty years.

Coal Teamsters and Handlers No. 68 have voted $20 in sick benefits and appointed a committee to consider rules for the permanent establishing of a local sick benefit system. The committee will meet on Thursday night at Wells Memorial Building. The union has asked an increase in wages of $1 per week for all members. The use of wooden paving blocks in the city streets was condemned.

Vice-President Patrick H. Sullivan presided at the meeting of Bartenders No. 77 in the absence of President Garrity, who with Agent English and Henry F. Griffin is a delegate to the international convention at Minneapolis. A committee was appointed to consider holding a joint outing some time in July with the Manchester N. H. local.

A local conference board of active members of Ladies' Tailors and Dressmakers No. 36 will meet at No. 7 Paul street on May 15, at which the policy of the local will be outlined for the next six months.

John J. O'Connell, first president of Market and Commission House Teamsters No. 631, was presented with a set of resolutions in appreciation of his work as president and business agent.

MEETINGS TO-NIGHT.

Unionizing and Label Committee of the Boston Central Labor Union at No. 987 Washington street.

Brookline Carpenters No. 438 at No. 166 Washington street.

Charlestown Machinists No. 634 at A. O. H. Hall, Union street.

Lumber Teamsters and Handlers No. 112 at No. 987 Washington street.

Sign Writers No. 391 at Friendship Hall at No. 12 Kneeland street.

Boxmakers No. 201 at No. 1004 Tremont street, Roxbury.

Chandelier Workers No. 6 at No. 724 Washington street.

Machinists Helpers and Laborers No. 12,298 at No. 724 Washington street.

Stationary Firemen No. 3 at No. 987 Washington street.

Housesmiths and Bridgemen No. 7 at No. 386 Harrison avenue.

Bricklayers No. 3 at No. 386 Harrison avenue.

Carpenters No. 33 at No. 987 Washington street.

Carpenters No. 954, Hebrew, at No. 2 Lowell street.

Carpenters No. 959 at Bartlett Hall, Mattapan.

Garment Workers No. 1 at No. 724 Washington street.

Shop and Mill Hands No. 1410 at No. 30 Hanover street.

Boston Association No. 12, N. A. S. E., at No. 995 Washington street.

Executive Board of Machinists No. 264 at No. 987 Washington street.

Cloak and Suit Makers No. 56 at No. 85 Green street.

House and Ship Painters No. 402 at Carpenters' Hall, Decatur street, East Boston.

Marine Engineers No. 59 at No. 167 [illegible] street, East Boston.

Steamfitters No. 22 at No. 18 Kneeland street.

Tin Workers No. 372 at Flashman's Hall, No. 85 Green street.

Wharf and Bridge Carpenters No. 1,393 at No. 30 Hanover street.

Paper Hangers No. 258 at Phoenix Hall, No. 724 Washington street.

Atlantic Coast Marine Firemen at No. 284 Commercial street.

Somerville Carpenters No. 629 at Studio Building, Davis Square.

DAINTY FEET? BOSTON LEADS; THAT'S SURE!

Boston girls do have small feet.

Already many contestants have entered for the Cinderella Foot Contest of the BOSTON AMERICAN to see who has the smallest and prettiest foot in Boston.

It is evident that this contest is to be highly interesting. The winners will have to possess very small feet and very shapely ones, judging from those already entered.

Whoever said that Boston girls had big, ugly feet is an undesirable citizen, not to use a "shorter and uglier word." Some of the daintiest, prettiest feet that ever stepped have been entered in this contest by their fair owners. More feet, or more contestants rather, are coming in every hour.

The time for entering expires May 20. By then the Cinderella Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN expects to have hundreds of feet entered for the prizes.

Remember, girls, the shapely foot counts as well as the tiny one. Is it not better to have a No. 2 foot, for instance, of perfect shape, than a No. 13 which is simply tiny, but without prettiness?

The judges, three competent critics of beauty, will consider these relative merits in making their decision.

Condition of Contest.

You know the conditions of the contest, girls. The BOSTON AMERICAN offers three prizes. The first is a golden slipper, inlaid with jewels; the second is a silver scrolled slipper. The third prize is $25 in cash.

Then, outside of these prizes, Manager Arthur Houghton of "A Stubborn Cinderella" company, now playing at the Colonial Theatre, offers another prize in the form of a position in his theatrical company, with all the opportunities it offers for a stage career.

The winners will be selected as follows by the judges:

When all entries are in on May 20, the judges will select the best thirty to qualify. From these thirty they will name the three winners of the slipper, the money prizes offered by the BOSTON AMERICAN.

From the same thirty Manager Houghton of "A Stubborn Cinderella" company will name the one to join his company. He may name one of the BOSTON AMERICAN prize winners, or he may name some other one of the thirty. That is up to Manager Houghton.

Now, girls, enter the contest. From your copy of the BOSTON AMERICAN cut out the blank accompanying this story. Fill it out with the size, length and width of your foot, your name, address, height and weight. Remember, your name and address will not be published. At the close the names of the winners alone will be given.

Why Not Win a Prize?

Send the filled-out blank to the Cinderella Editor of the BOSTON AMERICAN at No. 82 Summer street. Also send him an outline drawing of your foot. Or come to the AMERICAN office and have an outline drawing made there.

The BOSTON AMERICAN also wishes a photograph of your foot. If you have no photograph, go to Conlin's Photograph Studio at No. 53 Temple place, where they will photograph your foot without cost to you for this contest.

All entrants must be sixteen years old or over and be five feet or over in height.

ENTRY BLANK.

Name ....

Address ....

....

Size of shoe..............................

Greatest width of foot..............................

Length, heel to big toe..............................

Height.............. Weight..........

FIVE CINDERELLA FEET AND A SINGLE CINDERELLA MAID

Photographs of Marie Steffenson, a real Cinderella girl, and of the feet of five contestants, including Miss Steffenson, for the golden slippers in the American contest. The owners of the dainty feet are as follows: On left, top to bottom, Edith Gilbert and Bessie Edwards; on right, top to bottom, Ethelyn Dudley, Miss Steffenson and Mary Griffith.

K. OF C. CONVENTION HERE TO-MORROW

The annual convention of the State Council of the Knights of Columbus will be held in Lawrence Encampment Hall, No. 724 Washington street, to-morrow and will last all day. The principal feature will be the election of delegates to the national convention to be held in Mobile, Ala., in August.

The Council will send eight delegates. The present roster of officers will undoubtedly be elected for the ensuing year. State Deputy William H. O'Brien will preside.

AT 101 'WILL LIVE FOREVER'

LOWELL, May 10.—Mrs. Mary C. Robertson is to-day celebrating her 101st birthday at her home, No. 80 Lawrence street, where she lives with her two daughters, Misses Agnes A. and Frances M. Robertson. She reads the newspaper without glasses and laughingly predicted to-day that she would live forever.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

$500 A WEEK FOR TORONTO BOY SINGER

TORONTO, May 10.—The parents of Wilfred Morison, a thirteen-year-old boy singer, have accepted for him an offer of $500 a week for a year's tour of the United States from New York to San Francisco, then to Australia.

An Appeal To Your Intelligence

The below list of our bargains contains the names of some of the Best pianos made, and we have made the prices on them so low that no person desiring a first-class piano can afford to overlook any one of them. We don't ask or expect you to rush into our Storage Salesrooms and buy them, although you would make no mistake if you did. We ask you to use your intelligence and thoroughly investigate any piano bargain offered to you. Don't buy simply because the price is low. Be sure that the piano offered you elsewhere is in good condition. Don't buy it for its name alone. Use your intelligence to determine its present value. We guarantee any way you like that every piano in the below list is as we represent it to be, and we will agree to return your money and take back any instrument bought of us at any time if conditions are not absolutely as we represent. If you are looking for a real bargain don't buy until you compare our bargains with others. Run in and compare our real bargains with other imitation bargains.

$5 Down--$1 a Week

The gilded piano stores, with their costly appointments, their high-salaried sales agents, their sellers' commissions, etc., are no place for the economical piano buyer to go. Take the trouble to look around a little—go up where the rents are not so high and buy your piano right.

BARGAINS IN THE WORLD'S BEST PIANOS.

Mason & Hamlin Upright	$72	Chickering Upright	$57
Knabe Upright	$94	Emerson Upright	$55
McPhail Upright	$86	Everett Upright	$65
Haines Bros.' Upright	$59	Merrill Upright	$90
Fischer Upright	$55	Steinway Upright	$75
Huntington Upright	$60	Sohmer Upright	$101
Steinhart Upright	$87	Ivers & Pond Upright	$78
Vose Upright	$62	Jacobs Bros.' Upright	$69
Wm. Bourne	$60	Kranich & Bach Upright	$92
Webber Upright	$80	Martin Bros.' Upright	$57

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2111 WASHINGTON ST., COR. WILLIAMS ST., BOSTON, MASS.

Open Mon., Thurs. and Sat. Evenings Till 9 O'Clock.

Take any Washington street car going up Washington to Williams street, cor. Williams.

HEAR PRIEST IN MITCHELL DEATH TRIAL

Richard F. Mitchell's dying statement to his mother and another person was admitted in evidence to-day by Judge Schofield in the trial of Murdock C. MacGregor and Roderick C. Mackenzie, charged with manslaughter in causing Mitchell's death at Pierce Farm institution.

The court admitted it as a dying statement because Mitchell had received the last rites of the Catholic church, of which he had been a member since childhood. In trying to have the last words of the dead man laid before the jury, District Attorney Hill contended that Mitchell knew he was dying because of the administration of the last rites of the church.

After Judge Schofield's decision admitting the evidence, District Attorney Hill put the Rev. J. J. McCaffery on the stand, and he testified to having administered the church rites. Mrs. Mary Mitchell, the aged mother of the dead man, then swore that she had visited her son the day before he died, and that he said to her:

"I have been kicked, beaten and choked. They're killing me. I want to go home."

Mrs. Lawrence, Mitchell's sister, said that she had heard the same statement.

James McCarthy, a member of the Typographical Union, to which Mitchell belonged, declared that he had visited Mitchell, and the latter said:

"Get Me Out of Here."

"I want to go home; get me out of here. They're a gang of murderers here. They're beating and abusing me."

None of these witnesses mentioned any names of persons as having attacked Mitchell. This closed the government's case.

Attorney Gove in opening the defence declared that he proposed to show that if Mitchell's injuries were not self-inflicted they must have been caused by the patients.

In support of this contention Mr. Gove put MaGregor on the stand in his own defence. MacGregor declared that on March 17 he noticeda discoloration on Mitchell's breast. Mitchell was unsteady on his feet.

Threw Him on the Floor.

He said that John Lee and Frank Power, two patients, were reading when Mitchell pulled their papers out of their hands. They threw him across the floor and he landed on his chest, according to MacGregor's statement.

"On the eighteenth," said MacGregor, "I found Mitchel on the floor pulling his clothes off. I put him on a settee and put his clothes on. Later I heard a disturbance and saw him pulling them off again. Roderick MacKenzie (the other defendant) and Michael O'Really, another attendant, were in the room with me.

"We took Mitchell to the bath. He was unsteady and MacKenzie had to hold him while I put clean clothes on him."

NINE DROWNED AS BOAT FOUDERS

WILKESBARRE, Pa., May 10.—Six men, a woman and two children were drowned in the Susquehanna River, near this city, by the capsizing of a rowboat in which they had started for an outing.

The nine persons started out for a boat ride. While they remained close to the shore all went well, but as the boat drifted into the swift current it began to ship water.

The occupants became panic-stricken and called frantically for assistance. Boys at play on the bank of the river heard the screams for help, but before a boat could be got, the rowboat in mid-stream had filled with water and sunk.

WRIGHT BROTHERS HOMEWARD BOUND

NEW YORK, May 10.—The return of the Wright brothers to America this week will be in the nature of a triumphal entry.

They will be royally welcomed on their arrival in New York by scores of friends who have followed their successes abroad with the keenest interest.

During the twenty four hours or so that they will remain in the city they will be the guests at luncheons and receptions by the Aero Club of America and the Automobile Club.

TWO SOLDIERS LOSE LIVES IN HARBOR

Two soldiers from Fort Warren lost their lives in Hull Gut and a third man was saved after he had clung to their overturned boat for an hour. The craft was capsized by the cross-currents of the outgoing tide while the men were trying to cross from Pemberton to Fort Warren. The drowned men are Daniel Doherty, thirty-two years old, of No. 37 Leon street, Roxbury, and Cornelius Crowley, thirty-two, privates in the Ninth company, C. A. C.

NEW RACE TRACK FOR TIA JUANA

SAN DIEGO, May 10.—According to an announcement made by the proprietors of the new race track at Tia Juana, actual work on the construction of the buildings and track will be started within the next month. The engineers are said to have finished their work and the advertising for bids will be commenced next week.

Peaceful Contentment

Exists in the home
Where the housewife
On completion of
Spring cleaning
Knows that not only
Dirt but disease
Germs, as well, have
Been driven out.

Cabot's Sulpho-Napthol

Does this efficiently
And quickly. For cleaning
Anything and everything
A few drops added
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Reduces labor one-half.

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ELEANORA SEARS WILL VIE WITH MRS. BURDEN IN NEWPORT DRAMAS

Drawing by Nell Brinkley of Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden, in her dazzling dance as Bacchante, which thrilled the New York "400," and Miss Eleanora Sears in the role of a trooper at a Vincent Club theatrical performance.

NEWPORT, May 10.—Newport is stage struck. The histrionic fever is coursing through the veins of all the wealthy Summer colonists, and already a number of amateur theatricals have been arranged to accompany the many brilliant balls to be given at the Casino this season.

Mrs. Arthur Scott Burden, who created such a furore in the ranks of Gotham's Four Hundred by her unique and daring dances for New York charities, one of the most striking of which was her interpretation of Bacchante, is in the lead of the gay festival performers scheduled for the gilded Casino. It is expected that not only will Mrs. Burden repeat her artistic New York performances, but will appear in some entirely new and dazzling roles created by herself.

Another society belle who will grace the Casino's stage is Miss Eleanora Sears, of Boston, who a few weeks ago caused a sensation by attempting to play polo in men's garb at Los Angeles. Miss Sears is highly popular among the Island social set because of her vivacity, wit and athletic prowess, and will vie for honors with Mrs. Burden. She is no stranger to the footlights, having scored many hits at the theatricals of the Vincent Club, of Boston, and in other performances. Noted as a dashing equestrienne, one of her favorite roles is that of a trooper.

Among the other society leaders who will take part in the attractions planned are: Miss Constance Warren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Henry Warren, who was considered the most daring rider in Newport last season; Miss Blanche Oelrichs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Oelrichs; Miss Vera Gilbert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierrepont H. Gilbert; the Misses Irene and Mildred Sherman, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. William Watts Sherman, and Miss Dorothea Kane, daughter of Mrs. William E. Glyn.

EPISCOPALIANS HERE FOR CONVENTION

Matters of vital interest to Episcopalians are to be discussed at the Episcopal Church Congress which opens in Boston to-morrow and continues through to Friday. This is the open court of the Episcopal church and serves to bring together in a common forum bishops, rectors and prominent laymen. Bishop Lawrence will open the congress.

England sends a famous delegate in the person of Canon Hensley Henson of Westminster, who has publicly repudiated the doctrine of the apostolic succession as generally held in the Church of England and has stood for closer fellowship with the other Christian bodies. Canon Henson is Vicar of St. Margaret's Church, under the shadow of Westminster Abbey.

CLOSE MAINE BANK BY COURT ORDER

WATERVILLE, Me., May 10.—The Waterville Trust Company, one of the largest banking houses in the State, with branches in four towns, was forced to temporarily suspend business to-day.

The bank was closed by a restraining order issued by Associate Justice Albert M. Spear of the Supreme Judicial Court, following a complaint made by State Bank Examiner William B. Skelton of Lewiston.

Scores of alarmed depositors flocked to the bank at an early hour to-day. Owing to the fact that the restraining order prevented the Trust Company from receiving deposits or paying out any money, none of the depositors were allowed to withdraw balances.

BUGS RAYMOND GETS FREE PASSES

Due to the ingenuity of "Bugs" Raymond, it is rumored several of the players on the Giants have been rolling in favors. The players say that "Bugs" would call up Secretary Knowles every morning and ascertain if there was to be a game. Being informed that no game would be played he would immediately ask for a few passes for that day and hand them around with a lavish hand. This ingenious method not only made him strong, but also saved the club money. Rube Waddell will have to go some to beat that one.

YALE'S FOOTBALL PLAN.

NEW HAVEN, Ct., May 10.—A new plan of the Yale football management is the calling to the preliminary football practice in the Autumn of members of the incoming freshman class who are proficient in football. They will be called on September 30.

HIDE TWELVE HOURS TO CARRY OUT RAID

After remaining hidden for twelve hours in a closet in the Poland's block, Billings road, Norfolk Downs, five officers of the Quincy police force made a quick rush, seized a crap outfit and arrested seven men on charges of being present at a gambling game. They will be arraigned in court to-day.

Inspector Goodhue of the Quincy force planned the raid. He found that all the doors and windows were fitted with an electric appliance, and that the slightest touch gave warning to those inside. On the top of a one-story shed adjoining he found one window which did not have the electric attachment, and through the opening it provided the policemen entered the building. The waited twelve hours before finding a chance for the raid.

C. Q. D. TO JOHN D. HIS CHURCH IS SHY

NEW YORK, May 10.—The sun of golden Rockefeller munificence doesn't always shine on the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church. Think of that place actually being short of cash! Complaint about the amount of contributions received on Sundays was made by Dr. Charles F. Aked, the pastor. "Some of you are regarding this collection as a formal thing," said he in his sermon. "It is not; it is a necessary thing. Put back the coin you have been in the habit of giving, and make up your mind to be liberal. The collections have fallen off in the last few months, and I have resolved to speak to you as I did some time ago."

MAN HELD UP AT L STATION

Max Bersoen of No. 29 Cherry street, Chelsea, was held up and robbed on the stairway of the Dover street L station by two young men, who grabbed him and pushed him against the iron railing. Before he was aware of their purpose they had stolen his wallet, which was in his inside pocket. The wallet contained a check for $50 and $67 in bills. As quickly as they got the wallet the thieves dashed down the stairs and escaped.

GUARD ISELIN WEDDING WITH GREAT SECRECY

NEW YORK, May 10.—Secrecy amounting almost to mystery was thrown to-day around the magnificent wedding of Miss Nora Iselin, the beautiful daughter of Millionaire C. Oliver Iselin, and Count Ferdinand Colloredo Mansfeld, secretary to the Austrian Embassy at Rome. Society was rife with gossip concerning the newspaper reports.

In the first place it was arranged that they were to be married at the home of Columbus O'Donnell Iselin, an uncle of the bride, instead of at the magnificent home of her father in New Rochelle. In the second place it was asserted that the non-attendance at the ceremony of the bride's father was due to his disapproval of the marriage rather than to illness.

At the home of Columbus O'Donnell Iselin arrangements were carried on behind closed doors. The wedding gifts, said to be of great magnificence, were not displayed and it could not be learned even whether they were at New Rochelle or in a storage warehouse.

Many of the exquisite gifts to the bride came from abroad. There were messages from dignitaries of the Papal Court at Rome and a message of felicitation from Baron Hengelmuller, the Austrion minister at Washington.

At 3:45 Count Mannsfeld and his brother, Prince Rudolph, the best man, leave the Hotel Gotham for the Iselin home. Ten minutes later Miss Iselin will leave the St. Regis. Miss Iselin wears her wedding frock, white chiffon over white satin with a filled-in neck of lace, and the wedding veil which her mother wore at her wedding.

Upon reaching her uncle's home the bride will be met at the head of the great curving stairs by Monsignor Lavelle of St. Patrick's Cathedral, attended by his private secretary, Father Byrne.

Then as the chimes of the Cathedral ring out the appointed hour the bride walks to the canopy of appleboughs, followed by her Count and his brother, who await her arrival in the reception room on the ground floor. The Roman Catholic marriage ceremony is then performed with the ring.

After the buffet supper the bride and bridegroom will start on their wedding journey to Hot Springs, Va. They will visit Newport before sailing on May 20 for Europe, where they will pass part of the Summer in the castle of the Mannsfelds near Aquileja, Austria.

OFFER A MILLION TO FREE MORSE

NEW YORK, May 10.—Bearing the signatures of more than a score of men prominent in the banking and commercial world, a petition is presented to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals to-day asking that Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker now in the Tombs, be admitted to bail pending a decision on his appeal.

That his friends standy ready to put up an almost unlimited amount of surety is indicated by the petition, which reads that "we, the undersigned, believing in the innocence of Charles W. Morse of any intent to defraud the Bank of North America, or to deceive the government officials, are willing to become responsible upon his bail bond for the sum of $5,000 each, without indemnity. We do this because we do not believe that he will leave the jurisdiction of the court, and that when his case is nally heard and understood he will be acquitted..."

MRS. D. F. MURPHY IS BURIED TO-DAY

The funeral of Mrs. D. F. Murphy, wife of the manager of the Mark Cross Company of Summer street, who died of pneumonia at her home, No. 12 Elm Hill Park, Roxbury, Friday, was held at 9 o'clock today at St. John's Church in Blue Hill avenue. Mass was sung by Father Whelan. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery. The entire front of the church was occupied by the associates of Mr. Murphy at the Mark Cross Company. The pallbearers were Joseph H. O'Neil, W. T. A. Fitzgerald, Frank F. Rogers, Dr. John H. Costello, Timothy A. Butler and John J. Hennessey. The ushers were Frank Wells and Thomas J. Barry. Thomas Clifford was the soloist. Mrs. Murphy was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Birmingham, and was born in Boston thirty-nine years ago.

NO ONE APPEARS TO WANT THIS BOY

All attempts to find the parents of the 2½-year-old boy, who was picked up by Patrolman Augusta of the East Dedham street station on Harrison avenue Saturday, have failed, and the little fellow is still at the Chardon Street Home awaiting some claimant.

No such boy has been reported missing. The youngster is well dressed and apparently comes from a good home. He is of light complexion and has a wealth of hair, wore a red dress, a blue plush coat, white stockings and black laced shoes.

There are no marks on the child's clothing that give a clew to his identity.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

"UNCLE SAM" DANCES WITH GEISHA MAIDS

A feature of the Japanese party to-night in Intercolonial Hall, Dudley street, Roxbury, is a grand march, in which will appear John T. O'Keefe, the tallest man in that section, attired as Uncle Sam, escorting Misses Helen Devine, Grace Cunniff, Mary Donovan and Mary Clancy, who will be dressed in geisha costumes, tending to show the friendly relations existing between the United States and Japan.

PRINCE WANTS RAISE.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 10.—Three chief object of Crown Prince Danilo, of Montenegro, in coming here was to persuade Russia to double the subsidy to the Montenegrin ruler's family. The $60,000 now allowed has been regarded for years as too small in view of the increased cost of living.

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TELLS OF EAR BOXING IN ROW OVER HIS WIFE

How his ears were boxed by his father-in-law, Former Mayor J. M. W. Hall of Cambridge, after a stormy interview, was testified to by Fred A. Crossman of Kingfield, Me., who took the stand in his own behalf to-day in the East Cambridge Probate Court, before Judge Lawton, in the separate support suit brought against him by his wife, Alice K. Crossman of Newton. Mrs. Crossman also petitions for the custody of their three children, Alfred, Mortimer and Ruth. Mrs. Crossman was not in court to-day, as she is suffering from a nervous breakdown.

Crossman testified that he moved from Newton to Kingfield, to get away from the domination of the Hall family and partly on account of his health. He denied the allegations of his wife that he had obliged her to do hard work.

"I went to Mr. Hall's office on June 28, 1906, and when I got in my father-in-law locked the door," Crossman testified. "Then Mr. Hall said: 'Sit down, Fred; I want to have a serious talk with you.' Then he told me that my wife was a nervous wreck.

"Mr. Hall said that he would make me retract statements I had made about my Kingfield home. He said the Crossman family had all laid down on him for support for three months, and he would finish with me if he had to follow me to the day of my death.

"I said: 'That is a pretty strong statement, father,' and he replied, 'I mean just what I said.' I thought I would play my trump card, and produced a letter from my wife dated March 23, 1906."

The letter which Crossman testified Hall had produced, was read in court, and one part said: "Please destroy the other letter in which I had said that I lost all my love for you. It was true then, but it is not true now." Crossman testified that he had told his father-in-law that he had never seen the letter referred to.

"I told Mr. Hall that I was neither a beggar nor a bankrupt," continued Crossman. "Then my father-in-law called me a rascal and struck me."

DIES OF AUTO INJURIES.

Mrs. Fannie Labrador, seventy, of Nantasket avenue, Nantasket Beach, died today at the Massachusetts General Hospital as the result of injuries sustained when she was knocked down by an automobile in front of her home Saturday.

ROGER BRESNAHAN, CATCHER, INSURED FOR JUST $50,000

This picture shows Roger Bresnahan wearing the headguard which he devised and adopted for all games after he was injured by a pitched ball in Cincinnati. Bresnahan was the first league catcher also to wear cricketer's shin guards in a regular baseball game.

CONTINUE THEFT CASE.

Mabel Ryan and Nellie Burke, charged with the larceny of $30 from Frank Eastman of Malden, on Essex street, Saturday night, had their cases continued in the Municipal Court to-day.

BALLPLAYER'S LIFE IS WORTH TWICE ACTOR'S

ST. LOUIS, May 10.—A ball player's life is worth more than an actors.

This more or less important fact was established when it became known to-day that Stanley Robison, owner of the St. Louis National League baseball team had insured the life of Roger Bresnahan, his star catcher, for $50,000, whereas a New York firm of managers the other day insured their star's life for $25,000.

Why the actor should have been insured is not quite clear, though there is some reason why Bresnahan should be written for a policy in protection to Robison.

Bresnahan figured in the celebrated three-cornered deal between New York, Cincinnati and St. Louis, by which the Giants got "Bugs" Raymond and Murray from this city, and Schlei from Cincinnati, Bresnahan coming to this city. He cost Robison four good players, valued at $50,000, when he was bought from the New York National team. He is under a three years' contract to play for $25,000. This makes Robison's investment in Bresnahan $75,000.

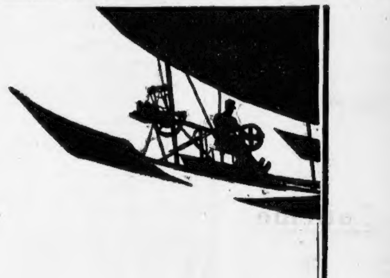
Bresnahan is known as a daring player, and has been injured often. Two big agencies refused to take the risk, because Bresnahan's chances of being injured behind the bat.

A year ago Bresnahan was walloped on the head by a pitched ball from Andy Coakley in a game with Cincinnati, and for three days it was not believed he would live. From the chances he takes as a player it looks like Robinson is playing wise in insuring Roger.

This baseball insurance is not entirely new, however. The stockholders of the Pittsburg Club recently insured President Barney Dreyfus for $50,000, figuring him and his baseball wisdom as valuable assets.

GETS $2,000 FOR INJURY IN CRASH

Henry W. Beals, of Hingham, was awarded a verdict of $2,000 to-day at Dedham for injuries received in a collision between a freight and a passenger train on which he was riding on the New Haven Railroad, between Hingham and South Braintree, on the night of February 5, 1907. He sued for $20,000.



Scarritt was scared

He clung to his seat frightened, cringing, a coward. It was the overwhelming sense of abject helplessness; the thought that all that stood between him and eternity was a ball of canvas no thicker than a cuff.

Such was the condition of mind of Winthrop E. Scarritt for the first few minutes of his first voyage in the air.

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"DOC" GESSLER JOINS RED SOX TEAM ON FRIDAY

BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

FIRST GAME FOR RED SOX WITH NAPS POSTPONED

RED SOX LOAF AT CLEVELAND OWING TO RAIN

CLEVELAND, May 10.—Manager Fred Lake and his band of fighting Red Sox warriors from Boston are here for the first battle of the East's invasion of the West. Judging from the class of ball put up so far this season by the Boston men, local fans anticipate a good contest when the Red Sox line up against the Naps.

Owing to rain to-day's game had to be postponed.

Although handicapped by the absence of Captain Gessler, who was taken ill in New York with tonsilitis, the Boston manager fully expects to take the long end of the series here and to secure at least an even break on the trip around the circuit.

Gessler will be out of the game during the entire series, but a telegram from him was received by Manager Lake this morning saying that the hard-hitting captain would join the team on its opening day at Detroit and would be able to play.

Hooper will play in Gessler's place, and while the youngster is a clever fielder the captain's hitting and experience in the game will be missed.

Either Arellanes or Cicotte is scheduled to pitch to-day for Boston, with Addie Joss the most likely candidate for the position in the Naps' line-up.

No small in interest attaches to Thursday's game, as it has been given out here that Cy Young and Charlie Chech will be the opposing twirlers that day. A battle between the veteran and the youngster for whom he was traded by the Boston club would be almost as big a drawing card as a pennant-deciding game, and if this plan is carried out it is likely a record-breaking crowd will turn out to witness the struggle.

Bill Carrigan, the Red Sox catcher, who wrenched his back in the final game at Boston, is back with the team and will likely be behind the bat this afternoon. Spencer, who has been working during his absence, has given a good account of himself, but his hitting is not up to the standard. Wolter has also come on from Boston and his advent will give Manager Lake another outfielder in case he is needed.

STANDING OF THE BOSTON PITCHERS

NATIONALS.

	Won	Lost	Pc. won
Dorner	1	0	1,000
White	1	0	1,000
Tuckey	1	0	1,000
Mattern	3	1	.750
Ferguson	2	2	.500
Chappelle	1	1	.500
Lindaman	1	1	.500
McCarthy	0	2	.000

AMERICANS.

	Won	Lost	Pc. won
Cicotte	3	0	1,000
Steele	2	0	1,000
Wolter	1	0	1,000
Chech	4	1	.800
Arellanes	0	3	.000
Morgan	0	4	.000

BASEBALL RESULTS IN OTHER LEAGUES

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Milwaukee, 6; Louisville, 0.
Minneapolis, 8; Columbus, 3.
Indianapolis, 14; Kansas City, 13.
St. Paul-Toledo game prevented by injunction.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Mobile, 10; New Orleans, 1.
Memphis-Little Rock—rain.

COLLEGE AND SCHOOL SCHEDULE

English High vs. Melrose, at Melrose.
Rindge M. T. S. vs. Newton High, at Newton.
Stone's School vs. Worcester Academy, at Worcester.
Everett High vs. Winchester, at Everett.
Lynn High vs. Revere High, at Revere.
Boston College High vs. Hyde Park High at Hyde Park.
St. Marks vs. Worcester Classical, at Southboro.
Holderness School vs. Brewster, at Holderness, N. H.
Hanover High vs. K. U. A., at Meriden.
Brewster Academy vs. Plymouth High, at Plymouth, N. H.

MASCOT GETS $1 PER WEEK.

Bud Smith, six-year-old son of Pitcher Frank Smith, is the pride of the White Sox. He is also the regularly employed mascot of the team. He wears a baseball uniform and travels with the team.

May 1 was the pay day for the Sox, and Comiskey was surprised to hear a voice from nowhere come drifting into the cashier's window.

"I want my salary."

Comiskey peered over the ledge and saw Bud.

"I'm under contract," said Bud.

"Oh, you are," said Comiskey. "What do you think you are worth?"

"'Bout a dollar a week."

So every week Bud gets a dollar from the Sox treasury.

POLO DATES FOR BIG MATCH

LONDON, May 10.—Dates for the international polo match for the American Cup between the Hurlingham team and a team from the American Polo Association have been fixed as follows: June 23, June 26 and, if necessary, June 30.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Detroit	14	5	.737	Chicago	9	10	.474
New York	11	7	.611	Cleveland	9	10	.474
BOSTON	10	8	.556	Washington	5	11	.313
Phila	8	8	.500	St. Louis	5	12	.294

TODAY'S GAMES.

Boston at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

First Game.

		r.	h.	e.
Chicago	0 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 x	4	8	2
Cleveland	0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 0	2	4	2

Batteries—Walsh and Owens; Young and Easterly.

Second Game.

		r.	h.	e.
Cleveland	4 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	4	7	1
Chicago	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	1	4	1

Batteries—Berger and Clark; Scott and Owens.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Pittsburg	13	7	.650	Cincinnati	10	13	.434
Phila	10	6	.625	Brooklyn	7	10	.412
BOSTON	10	7	.588	St. Louis	9	14	.391
Chicago	12	10	.545	New York	6	10	.373

TODAY'S GAMES.

New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

		r.	h.	e.
St. Louis	0 1 0 3 0 0 1 0 0	5	8	1
Chicago	1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	2	5	3

Batteries—Rhodes and Bresnahan; Reulbach and Moran.

EASTERN LEAGUE

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Jersey City	9	3	.750	Toronto	6	5	.545
Rochester	5	2	.714	Newark	4	5	.444
Providence	5	5	.500	Buffalo	5	7	.417
Montreal	6	6	.500	Baltimore	3	8	.273

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Baltimore at Toronto.
Providence at Rochester.
Jersey City at Buffalo.

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Newark at Montreal—Rain.

N. E. LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Haverhill	8	3	.727	N. Bedford	5	5	.500
Fall River	6	4	.600	Worcester	5	6	.455
Lynn	6	4	.600	Lawrence	4	7	.364
Brockton	5	5	.500	Lowell	3	8	.300

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Lawrence at Fall River.
Lowell at Brockton.
Haverhill at Lynn.
Worcester at New Bedford.

GESSLER JOINS TEAM FRIDAY

President Taylor of the Red Sox is back at his desk, after a trip to New York to witness the Red Sox-Yanks series. He is very well satisfied with what he saw. "We should have won that game on Thursday," said the Red Sox boss. "That home run of Keeler's was an easy one to catch, but our outfielder stumbled and the hit got by. Steele pitched a fine game after he relieved Morgan Saturday."

Mr. Taylor received a letter from Charlie Green, the trainer, to-day, which said that Doc Gessler was rapidly getting well and that the Red Sox captain would be able to join his teammates at Detroit on Friday. Green remained in New York to care for Gessler, who was threatened with pneumonia.

WHY YANKS VISIT TIGERS ON FLAG DAY

If George Moriarty were not a Tiger now the men from the Highland lot of Manhattan Isle would not oppose the champions at Bennet Park to-morrow when the 1908 pennant will be raised.

When George J. became a Tiger the New York club became several thousand dollars richer—but that's not all. Farrell also got a promise. The promise was part of the consideration for Moriarty and because of the promise New York was selected to start the invasion of the East in Detroit and the visit of the Highlanders was booked to cover May 11. Pennant raising day is quite an event nowadays and to be a party of the second part (as "Bill" Donovan would call it) is quite a desirable part to take.

ROBERTSON NEW CAPTAIN.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Jim Archer, the crack sprinter of the Irish-American Athletic Club, has been elected track captain to succeed Lawson Robertson, who filled that position for five years, but declined re-election on the ground that his business would not give him sufficient time to attend to such duties.

NEW YORKS SIGN VAUGHN.

PRINCETON, N. J., May 10.—Bobby Vaughn, who for two seasons played second base for the Princeton team and was elected captain of the 1909 nine, but was not allowed to play because of the faculty restrictions, has been signed by the New York American League club at a salary said to be the largest ever paid to a college player. He will join the team on June 15. The contract calls for $800 a month, or $4,800 a season.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

MIDDIES WILL SPECULATE.

ANNAPOLIS, May 10.—Although the annual Army and Navy baseball game, to be played at West Point, is still almost three weeks off, the midshipmen are already making plans to back their team as no Navy baseball team has been backed. It is said that they expect to raise from $3,000 to $3,500, and this will be offered to West Point at even money.

TWINS OFF FOR THE COAST.

Mike and Jack Twin Sullivan expect to leave to-day for the Coast, as Mike has signed up for a match with Kyle Whitney, the welterweight, in a twenty-round bout sometime this month in San Francisco.

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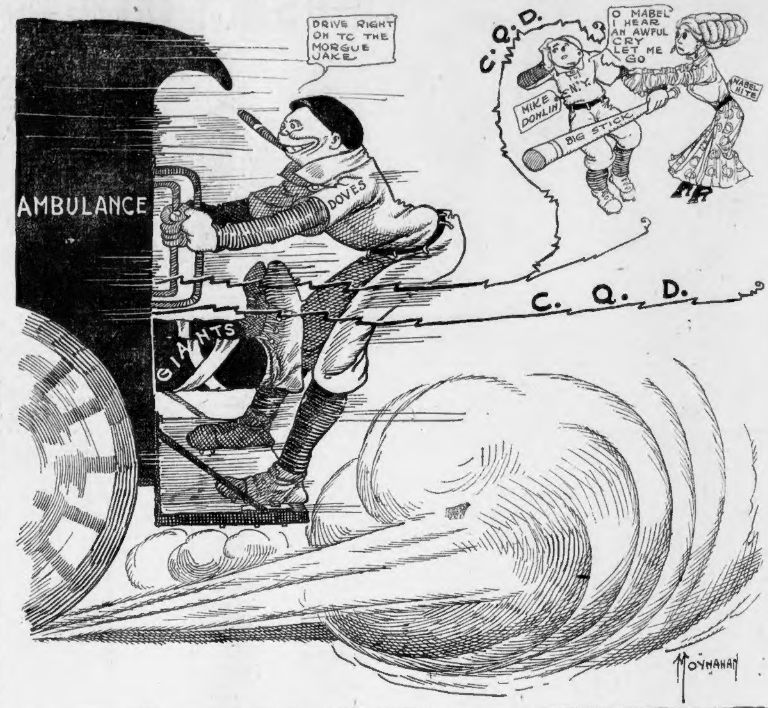

BIG STABLES AT JAMESTOWN

NORFOLK, Va., May 10.—All is in readiness for opening day next Thursday, May 13, at the Jamestown Jockey Club's picturesque course on the Elizabeth River.

John Cavanagh has chartered the big steamer Augusta, of the Chesapeake Line, to carry the horselovers from Baltimore to Norfolk. The boat will leave immediately after the close of the Pimlico meeting next Wednesday night, arriving in Norfolk early Thursday morning.

A boat will leave Old Point Comfort daily during the meeting, bringing guests to the track from Hotel Chamberlain, and others from that resort, Hampton, and Phoebus. The run will be made in forty-five minutes. Special excursions are also being arranged from Edenton and Elizabeth City, N. C. Cape Charles will also be represented at the track, as arrangements are now under way to run a boat to catch the first race, returning immediately after the last. The trolley spur, just completed, permitting cars to run directly to the grandstand, will greatly facilitate the handling of big crowds.

Applications for stalls are piling in, and Secretary Norfell is already making arrangements for stabling outside the track. Among the prominent horsemen who will race here for the first time are August Belmont, Richard T. Wilson, John E. Madden, David Dunlop, the popular Virginia sportsman; Samuel Ross, of Washington; J. F. Bartlett, of Baltimore, and a score of others, including William Garth, Jimmy McLaughlin, Captain Presgrave, with the Clyde horses; Woods Garth, Jule Garson, the Chelsea stable and H. Filppen.

MARATHONER FROM AUSTRALIA COMING

Another foreigner is soon to come to these shores and will try to carry some of the United States coin away with him to his native heath, Australia. The individual in question is a long distance runner of note, the champion of the Kangaroo Isles, and he comes with a record as long as a string of beans. He aspires to wear the crown now on the brow of one Henry St. Yves, the acknowledged Marathon champion of the world.

Henry Price is the name of the man who would meet all of our crack runners. He has left his home in West Melbourne, Victoria, Australia, and will land here on May 12. Price claims that he holds the Australian record at fifteen miles, his time being 1 hour 20 minutes 3 seconds, which, by the way, is but 2 4-5 seconds slower than the world's record time, made back in 1852.

Price is not only a fifteen-miler, but he thinks he can run the classic distance in record-breaking time. He will seek a match with any of the Marathoners as soon as he reaches here.

Price has won the Sidney race, which is the greatest running event of the year in Australia, twice in succession. He also captured first prize in the Freemantle race, at fifteen miles, in which he hung up his record. Price is but a youth, having reached his majority a few months ago. He is built on the lines of St. Yves, and tips the beam at 125 pounds. He is 5 feet 7 inches, and if his record is to be believed, the Marathon stars have another dark horse to cope with. It is, indeed, too bad that Price cannot reach here in time for the International Derby, to be held at the Polo Grounds next Saturday.

While Price would be a total stranger in New York, he has unlimited backing in Australia. He will first have to prove to sport-loving New York his ability to run the distance in fast time, and if he makes good there is a mint of coin in store for him.

CONNECTICUT LEAGUE.

TO-DAY'S GAMES.

Hartford at Bridgeport.
Springfield at New Haven.
New Britain at Holyoke.
Waterbury at Northampton.

Baseball News and Notes

Clark Griffith is yelling for help in Cincinnati. The Reds are losing their grip and hard luck is still haunting the "Old Fox."

Pitcher Higginbotham is now a full-fledged Cub. He was purchased by Chicago from St. Louis. Oh, you, Higginbotham! please cut your name in half, so that the scribes and printers will have it easy.

Joe Birmingham, the Cleveland outfielder, has always been touted as one of the best fielders in the business, particularly in the throwing end of the game. The lament was that he could not hit. Joe seems to have found himself in that end of the game, as he is leading the Cleveland team in hitting right now with a percentage close up to the .400 mark.

Fred Parent is fielding in his old-time style for the Chicago White Sox this season.

Is Jake Beckley getting old? He confesses to something like fifty-three Winters, but he is leading Kansas City in hitting just the same, with the swell average of .393. He bet a Kansas City newspaper man the other day that he would still be playing when seventy-five.

They do say that Pitcher Quinn of the New York Americans has a "quiver curve." Umpires should search Mr. Quinn for a bow and arrow.

Joe Lake of the New York Americans is said to preach temperance. If he's got the water habit this bad Lake's "spitter" should be examined to see if he sprinkles chloroform on the ball.

Cleveland has stopped talking about winning the pennant. "Cy" Young went from first to third the other day on an infield hit. That's enough glory for one season—even for Cleveland.

Having been chased out of the scorers' boxes, some actors are now getting into the limelight by occupying seats on the players' benches. And to think that some members of the Baseball Writers' Association fall for their trick!

Efforts to get up a baseball war scare are not seasonable. What the fans want to know most is "What's the score?"

Says a New York paper: "'Who were the umpires in Chicago to-day?' inquired 'Rube' Marquard of Chief Meyers the other day. 'Messrs. Klem and Kane,' read the chief from a newspaper. 'I've heard of Klem and Kane,' declared the 'Rube,' seriously, 'but this guy Messrs. is a new one on me.'"

The Cardinal grazing grounds have been greatly improved over last year. New seats of opera chair style, now in common use at ball parks, have replaced the old hard benches, which were all there were in the grand stand. A new bleacher has been erected in right field capable of holding several thousand people.

"Don't stop; keep moving," is now the rule when a player is banished from the game. There must be no lingering at the bench, but a quick hike by the offender to the clubhouse.

Dooin and Doolan are not the only literary lights on the Phillies. Eddie Grant is the author of a well known article on the Phillies' training trip.

Charles Enright of the St. Louis National League team has quit the team and departed for California. Manager Bresnahan says Enright considered a California sweetheart a greater attraction than a major league salary.

Ellis, the Cardinals' left fielder, is the man whom Cincinnati got from the East last Fall. They asked for waivers on him this Spring, expecting to use him in a deal, but Bresnahan refused to waive, whereupon the Herrmann henchmen referred to the St. Louis pilot as a "grouch." His judgment proved O. K., however, for Ellis has been playing grand ball.

Doc Reisling has secured Henry Wetzel, an old Pittsburg star, to help boost the York Tri-State aggregation, which is just now at the bottom of the pennant ladder.

Joe Kelley of Toronto is the man who will likely get Carl Lundgren, the pitcher whom Chicago asked waivers on. He won six out of nine games last season and had a batting average of .149. But he was there years ago and Joe thinks there is something in him yet.

For the benefit of the fan who is anxious to win a bet, Matty McIntyre was sold to Buffalo by Newark and then drafted by Detroit from the Bisons.

That big fellow, Pfeffer, who is a pitcher by trade, but who is being used in right field by Jack Dunn, got a triple and two singles out of four times up recently.

Ebbets has promised the Brooklyn fans a new grandstand. After the Spring flash of the Superbas the need will have passed.

Silk O'Loughlin, the umpire, is enthusiastic over the work of Bush, the Detroit shortstop. "Silk" umpired the first game of the Detroit schedule and says that Bush resembles Terry Turner in his sensational manner of fielding his position.

The Pirates are now decorating the top rung of the flag ladder, and it is hard to see where they are really weak. The pitching staff is, right now, stronger than it has been for several years, which statement can be considered as holding some weight when it is remembered that the team has presented several rather juicy twirling staffs in recent years.

It is evidently the purpose of the National Commission to make players who threaten to retire stay retired.

Fred Clarke kicked when he reached Chicago for fear the shower baths would scald his players. Then the Pirates scorched the Cubs for four defeats.

Hans Wagner and Ty Cobb hit their gait just in time to prevent former President Roosevelt from getting all the writeups.

Connie Mack is so well fortified with material that he has almost an entirely different team in the field when a left-hander pitches than when there is a right-hander in against him.

Pitcher Smith of Washington doesn't know exactly which branch of the original Smith tribe he belongs to, but in the baseball family he is surely related to the Stars.

Brooklyn should be named the Pennant Busters. First Lumley's team knocked Boston out of first place, and then they turned the trick on the Phillies.

Ed Walsh thought all he had to do was to sign his contract, put on a uniform, masticate a big chunk of slippery elm and pitch. But the National Commission fired back this one at Mr. Walsh: "Why didn't you sign before the season began?" There must be a Yankee on that commission.

St. Louis fans are raising a kick because the American League has put a tariff of $1.25 on some of the seats. They don't think that even "Rube" Waddell is worth that much.

Eighth position should be a coveted berth this season. Both the Phillies and Pittsburg made their rush to the front after being in last place.

Jack Sheridan umpired a game the other day in an overcoat. The "arbitrators" will be taking gas stoves out on the diamond next.

Garry Herrmann was the recipient of many floral offerings when he celebrated his fiftieth birthday last Monday. Garry must be still handing out baseball passes in the same old way.

John T. Brush would like to meet the man who discovered Covaleski—just for a sociable little talk. And his name is Shettsline, or just plain "Bill."

In St. Louis the National League Club has moved the home plate fifteen feet further from the grandstand. Umpires will now feel safer when the fans get to firing pop bottles.

Now the New York fans are putting an awful lot of blame on Arlie Latham for not winning the games for them—some one has to be the goat.

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Umpire "Brick" Owens, of the American Association, was almost killed during one of the early games this Spring, by stopping a foul ball with his gullet. Necessity being the mother of invention, Owens, when able to navigate again, set about designing a mask that would protect him. Owens wears it religiously and declares he feels as safe as if encased in the armor of a Crusader.

Charley Herzog did not come to Boston with the Giants. Instead he went direct to New York from Philadelphia. Herzog has a bad leg and will spend at least ten days in nursing it and getting it in shape.

Laporte has failed to make good at second, and Joe Ward is acting on the sack.

Manager Chance of the Cubs is confident that Catcher Kling will return to the fold through loyalty to the team, as did Second Baseman Johnny Evers. Well, there is no question about it that the world's champs need a backstop right now.

The Athletics expect to make a strong fight for the American League flag, and think that the only team that possibly can beat them is Detroit.

Mr. "Kitty" Bransfield expects to enter the journalistic field in Worcester, Mass., when the Summer is over.

Mr. Lew Moren, the Millionaire Kid from Duquesne Heights, Pittsburg, says that if his father sends him a check for $100 for every game he wins this season he'll break "the old man" up.

There are some pretty big men on the Rochester team, Ganzel, Beecher, Barger, Flanagan and Berille all being giants in stature. The whole Bronco lay-out is made up of former majors and is a fast-appearing aggregation which will win a lot of games before the season is out.

Pitcher Miller, a southpaw picked up by Cleveland in Mobile, is said to possess the characteristics of "Rube" Waddell. This statement has not been qualified to indicate whether the characteristics are those of "Rube" in the box or "Rube" when the hopples are off. If the former is meant Cleveland has picked up a wonder, but if the latter, trouble with a big "T" seems to be in store for the Naps.

Several of the scribes in the different cities picked Baltimore, Rochester and Buffalo to run neck and neck for the Eastern League flag. Since the league started, however, they have relented and let Newark, Jersey City and Providence in the running. Great dopesters, eh?

SALIVA BALL STILL HOLDS SWAY IN GAME

What has become of the crusade against the spitball? Last season and during the past Winter all sorts of legislation was threatened against the moistened delivery, yet the question of whether it should be eliminated or not was never taken up by the rules committee.

The fact is that one does not see as much of the spitball as one did when this queer shoot was first discovered. It is, perhaps, used more now than it was a few years ago, but the pitchers have grown more expert in preparing the ball for this particular delivery.

The discovery has been made that it is not necessary to go through any repulsive preliminary movements. The ball will take the deceptive downward shoot if the two forefingers are but slightly moistened. Hence it is that when a spit ball is used nowadays it is done so unostentatiously that only an expert can detect the preparatory work.

This was another advantage, for the ball is not soaked in spots when it reaches the fielders, and wild throws are not near as likely to result. With the nauseating feature of this delivery shelved, there is not likely to be another crusade against its use, which means that some of the pitchers who owe their retention in baseball to the "spitter" may rest easy for a time at least.

DOVES' GAME TO BEGIN AT 3:15 P. M.

A change, most important to all baseball bugs of Boston, has been made by Colonel George Dovey, and now, beginning to-day and all after this date, except Saturday, the games at the National League Park will start at 3:15 o'clock. The contests formerly started at 3:30 on week days.

Bright and early the Doves appeared on the field at Walpole street to get a little loosening up after the day of idleness yesterday. Big Mike put the fellows through the practice, gingering them up for the wind-up game of the series with the Giants this afternoon.

BATTING AVERAGES OF BOSTON BALL PLAYERS

AMERICAN.

Players.	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	ave.
Wolter	4	0	2	0	0	0	.500
Cicotte	8	3	3	0	0	0	.375
Carrigan	28	2	10	0	1	0	.357
Speaker	64	11	22	6	3	0	.344
Donohue	3	0	1	0	0	0	.333
Steele	6	1	2	0	0	0	.333
Arellanes	11	0	3	0	0	0	.273
Gessler	59	10	16	6	0	0	.271
Lord	69	11	18	1	1	0	.261
Niles	49	8	12	2	0	0	.245
McConnell	66	8	16	0	2	0	.242
Wagner	53	3	12	2	1	0	.226
Stahl	54	7	12	2	3	0	.222
Hooper	21	3	4	0	0	0	.190
Danzig	13	0	2	0	0	0	.154
Spencer	34	2	4	0	0	0	.118
Thoney	10	0	1	0	0	0	.100
Morgan	10	0	1	1	0	0	.100
Chech	17	1	1	1	0	0	.069
Totals	578	76	130	21	13	0	.246

NATIONAL.

Players.	ab.	r.	bh.	2b.	3b.	hr.	ave.
White	2	1	1	0	0	0	.500
Chapelle	7	1	3	0	0	1	.429
Beaumont	51	8	19	3	1	0	.373
Ferguson	11	2	4	1	0	0	.364
Sweeney	61	7	19	5	0	0	.311
Starr	24	2	7	0	0	0	.292
Bates	67	9	19	2	3	0	.284
Dahlen	59	8	15	6	0	1	.254
Beck	62	6	15	0	0	0	.242
Smith	31	3	6	0	0	0	.194
Becker	63	7	12	1	1	0	.190
Stem	16	0	3	0	0	0	.187
Graham	11	0	2	0	0	0	.182
Mattern	12	1	2	0	0	0	.167
Bowerman	24	1	3	0	0	0	.125
Ritchey	33	5	4	0	1	0	.121
Lindaman	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
McCarthy	7	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Dorner	4	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Tuckey	3	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Totals	551	58	134	18	6	3	.244

FIELDING AVERAGES OF BOSTON BALL PLAYERS

AMERICAN.

Name and Pos.	G.	PO.	A.	E.	Ave.
Cicotte, p.	4	0	12	0	1.000
Steele, p.	4	4	10	0	1.000
Wolter, p.	2	0	1	0	1.000
Hooper, fd.	8	15	1	0	1.000
Chech, p.	5	1	18	0	1.000
Gessler, r.f.	17	20	2	0	1.000
Thoney, fd.	3	8	0	0	1.000
Stahl, 1b.	18	162	5	2	.988
Carrigan, c.	10	59	13	1	.988
Spencer, c.	11	38	6	1	.978
Speaker, c.f.	11	38	6	1	.974
McConnell, 2b.	18	29	64	3	.969
Danzig, 1b.	6	24	0	1	.960
Niles, fd.	14	39	8	4	.922
Lord, 3b.	18	21	36	5	.919
Arellanes, p.	6	1	9	1	.909
Morgan, p.	5	1	13	2	.875
Wagner, ss.	15	27	29	8	.875
Donohue, c.	3	3	0	2	.600
Totals	..	484	233	31	.959

NATIONAL.

Name and Pos.	G.	PO.	A.	E.	Ave.
Stem, 1b.	5	45	1	0	1.000
Dorner, p.	3	1	3	0	1.000
Lindaman, p.	3	0	3	0	1.000
Ferguson, p.	4	2	8	0	1.000
Tuckey, p.	1	0	1	0	1.000
White, p.	1	1	2	0	1.000
Smith, c.	9	31	9	1	.976
Ritchey, 2b.	11	29	32	2	.968
Sweeney, 3b.	17	20	33	2	.964
Beck, 1b.	17	150	7	7	.957
Beaumont, c.f.	17	30	1	2	.939
Dahlen, ss.	17	35	65	7	.935
Graham, c.	4	9	4	1	.929
Starr, util.	7	18	21	3	.929
Becker, fd.	17	20	5	2	.926
Bowerman, c.	8	29	8	3	.925
Chapelle, p.	3	3	9	1	.923
McCarthy, p.	3	2	8	1	.900
Bates, l.f.	17	25	2	3	.900
Mattern, p.	7	0	13	2	.867
Totals	..	450	235	37	.949

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

Jeff Shows Class as a Schemer for Mutt's Benefit, But What's the Use?

GARDNER MAY WIN AGAIN OVER BILL M'KINNON

Every one who saw the last mitt engagement between Bill McKinnon, the Roxbury slugger and Jim Gardner, the clever Lowell welterweight, knows what is coming when the pair meet in the ring for the second time to-morrow night at the Armory Club.

That last meeting was one of the toughest mills ever witnessed around these diggings, and when Gardner was awarded the decision at the end of the fierce twelve rounds he was never more used up in his career.

It took Jimmy some time to finally recover from the strenuous combat, which is no wonder, for McKinnon is a hard customer for any man no matter how he classes and Gardner's victory was one of the surprises of the time, but he got it by fighting as he never did before.

At the end McKinnon was the least marked up, but he had several souvenirs, which was to be expected.

Unless McKinnon shows improvement he is in for another beating. He failed to beat Sailor Burke who got a draw fighting with only one hand for half the distance, which detracted from the local boy's prestige and he will have to do better when he faces Gardner who has cleverness on him for a starter.

Gardner is busy preparing in the country near his own town with Porky Flynn, the lad with the sleep wallop, to practice on, while McKinnon has the veteran George Byers putting on the finishing touches to his form.

YOUNG CORBETT COMING BACK AMONG CHAMPS

By TAD.

NEW YORK, May 10.—"They never come back," they used to say. Kid Lavigne tried it and failed. Jim Corbett tried it and failed, so did Fitzsimmons, so did Honey Mellody in Paris Saturday night when Willie Lewis beat him in for four rounds.

But what about young Corbett? Here's a fellow who lost about five straight three years ago. He dropped out of the game for good. About six months ago he thought he'd try again. He looked over the field and saw none who could beat him. He re-entered the ring, and look at him now. Jim Coffroth has wired Willie, offering him a date with Jimmy Britt, and after that promising him a go with the best in the world at the lightweight limit, and Willie feels that he will cop the title as sure as Nelson is a Dane.

"I'm keeping my nose to the grindstone these days," said Little Billy to-day, "and believe inside of a year I'll have that title that Nelson holds. Who are the legitimate lightweights anyway? Why, there are only a few. I'll be down to that figure in a month or so, and if you'll show me a fellow who can beat me I'll show you where you're wrong. McFarland, Cross and a bunch of others are too big for the weight. I'll make it. I'm right now and with a few more fights under my belt it's a cinch."

Well, we all hope that Willie is right. When you can pick a fellow out like that and say there's a fellow who was champion of the world and "There's a fellow that never fought a crooked go," you wish him well. Every time Corbett lost it was on the square. Every time he won it was on the square. That's the kind of a record to have.

SIDE FIGHT FOR COULON.

CHICAGO, May 10.—Johnny Coulon, Logan Square's pride, will make one fight in the East before he goes to San Francisco to tackle Monte Attell before Jim Coffroth's Colma Club next month. He has been matched to battle Jock Phencie of Johnstown, Pa., in the latter city, on May 20.

F. W. Kelley, representing the Sons of Mars Social Club of that place, posted a forfeit to guarantee Coulon's end of the purse and to satisfy the Chicagoan that his training work will not be in vain. The weight is to be 110 pounds at 6 o'clock on the night of the bout, which is to be six rounds. Phencie is known as the best lad in that vicinity, and many believe he is a champion in his class.

COSTER TO BOX DALY.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Joe Coster and Johnny Daly will hook up to-night in a ten-round battle at Brooklyn. Manager Shortell originally had "Knockout" Brown booked for Coster, but as Daly gave Brown such a trimming on last Tuesday night at the Long Acre A. C., he decided to put the winner on with Coster. Daly fights from the sound of the bell and Coster's aggressiveness is well known. This should be a corking good scrap. Phillie McGovern will meet the winner.

The Connoisseur EATS AT Hotel Epicure
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Boxing News in Brief Form

Johnson has gotten his sparring partners together and has started in earnest to get into shape for O'Brien; he had better get busy.

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Christy Williams of Ohio, who meets Harry Lewis at Lawrence Thursday, will be at ringside of McKinnon-Gardner bout and challenge the winner.

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A Cross-Corbett match has been practically clinched for the Fairmont Club, N. Y., for next Friday night. Corbett cannot make the lightweight limit at present, but Cross is willing to take him on anyway.

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Here is a list of clubs that have closed up shop since the police started to heat things up in N. Y.: National of New York, Carlisle, Dry Dock, Whirlwind, Terminal, Roman, Swedish-American and Marathon. The clubs that are still running seem to hold the upper hand under strict club rules.

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Stanley Ketchel and his friend, Clarence Jelandre, an expert golfer, went over the links at Van Cortlandt Park. Ketch loves to wing the ball to Kingdom Come, and broke five brassies trying to lose the little sphere.

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Nelson seems to have grown to like his conversational powers so well that he refuses to fight and takes it all out in talk. Better look out Battling One or when you do want to scrap you will be only useful to top the scrap heap.

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Nelson tells Packey to wait until September if he wants to fight, who is to pay the expenses in the meantime? so the stockyard lad had better get the meantime? So the stockyard lad had better be busy meanwhile and not await such an uncertainty as the Battler.

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Offers are still flowing in for the services of Frankie Neil. Manager Rafael received a wire from the Mission A. C., of San Francisco, asking if Neil would meet Jimmy Regan in a fifteen-round bout on May 25, for 25 per cent. of the receipts and two one-way tickets. Neil is getting nice guarantees and naturally asked for one from the Mission Club. Frankie is getting $500 to meet Bert O'Donnell at Wilkesbarre six rounds on May 14.

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The Marathon Club of New York has closed down for good, but will open up the Summer quarters at Ulmer Park the first week in June. Leach Cross and some good man will be the opening card.

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Patsy Brannigan, the unbeaten Pittsburg bantam, and Johnny Glover have signed articles to meet in a six-round bout before the National Club of Pittsburg on May 25. They agree to weigh in at 115 pounds at 3 o'clock the day of the contest.

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Chicago is still hopeful that they will pass a bill legalizing boxing.

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Tommy Murphy is to meet Kid Goodman in a ten-round bout before the Utica Athletic Association, of Utica, N. Y., to-night.

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Stanley Ketchel and Hugh McGann have agreed on May 18 as the date for their six-round go before the National Club of Pittsburg. The club is the largest of its kind in that section and has a seating capacity of 10,000. Jimmy Dime is manager and matchmaker of the organization and has made it a success.

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Jack Robinson and Jack Farrell, the colored welterweight, meet for fifteen rounds at Baltimore on Monday night. Robinson is fighting in good form again and should make some of the good men in his class travel.

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Joe Thomas seems to have struck his stride again. Joe allowed himself to go stale before the fight with Hugo Kelly and was not himself. Thomas has two offers from Philadelphia and will accept them. Frank Klaus and Harry Lewis are the two mentioned as opponents of Thomas.

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From all indications, Jem Driscoll and Abe Attell will go forty-five rounds at Colma in the Fall. Attell is confident he can beat Jem at this distance and will rest up all Summer. It will take a few months to get his left hand in proper shape again.

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My, what a gate there will be when O'Brien meets Johnson. Looks as if it would make a new record for this town which now holds the palm of the short distance bouts.

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There is to be a benefit given to Jem Mace, the veteran fighter, in Pontepridd, Wales, which will be promoted by Mr. Tretarne. This gentleman has hired the biggest hall in Wales for the occasion, and already Jem Driscoll has offered his services.

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It is almost a cinch that the Johnson-O'Brien bout at Philadelphia on May 19 will go the full six rounds. Jack is not good enough to beat the colored man, and Johnson never was in a hurry to finish a bout early.

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Joe Cardiff, of Reading, and Joe Campbell, of Altoona, are matched to appear before the Williamsport Athletic Club, May 10, in a ten-round bout.

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Mish Murray of the Armory A. A. has secured Phil Brock, the Cleveland lightweight, to meet Freddie Welsh for twelve rounds May 18. Brock has already stood off Welsh for twenty-five rounds, and on that account should give him a hard battle.

CROWDS FLOCK TO QUARTERS OF FIGHTERS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—As the time approaches for the Hugo Kelly-Billy Papke middleweight battle, scheduled for decision at Coffroth's Mission street arena next Saturday afternoon, interest in the affair increases. This was clearly demonstrated by the size of the crowd of fight fans which journeyed to the respective camps of the fighters.

At Millett's and Croll's great difficulty was experienced in handling the crowds. At the Alameda quarters Kelly put in a most strenuous day as it was the wind up of his real heavy work. Besides the regular road in the morning and the gymnasium grind in the afternoon he took on "Gunboat" Smith of the warship Pennsylvania, Charlie Miller and Dick Hyland. It was stated by Kelly's manager after the day's labor that his weight was 160 pounds, and that from now on until the day of the fight the daily work would be gradually diminished. In accordance with this idea it is the intenton of Trainer Frank McDonald to substitute lighter sparring partners for his man, and thus avoid the heavy slugging.

Over at Millett's there was just as much enthusiasm and activity. In order that none of the big crowd should go away disappointed Trainer Foley arranged to have Papke spar in the open air. The Illinois boy's boxing partners were Foley and Kid Krantz. No heavy work was attempted with the gloves, Papke merely devoted his attention to scientific sparring. Papke did his usual gymnasium stunts for the benefit of all who could crowd into the building.

BOXING CARD FOR THE WEEK

TO-NIGHT.

Billy Rolfe vs. Mickey McDonough, Gus Rogers vs. Young Kelly, Young Quinlan vs. Kid Clancy, Apollo A. C., Salem.
Joe Butler vs. Jack Fitzgerald, Philadelphia.
Jack Cardiff vs. Joe Campbell, Williamsport, Pa.
Joe Gorman vs. Jack Gardner, Kansas City.
Ray Bronson vs. Mike Memsic, Memphis.
Johnny Daly vs. Joe Costa, New York.

TUESDAY.

Bill McKinnon vs. Jimmy Gardner, Angus McDougal vs. Charley McDonald, Eddie Sheviin vs. Joe Murphy, Peck LeFavor vs. Kid Barron, Armory A. A.
Kid Oglesby vs. Young Phillips, Wallace, Ida.
Young Corbett vs. Harry Scroggs, Baltimore.
Johnny Willetts vs. Ed McAvoy, Philadelphia.
Bob Williams vs. Kid Beebe, Allentown, Pa.
Jack Goodney vs. George Epp, New York.

WEDNESDAY.

Benefit to Tommy Coffey, Lyceum Hall, East Boston.

THURSDAY.

Harry Lewis vs. Christy Williams, Lawrence.

FRIDAY.

Bill Leary vs. Kid Wilson, New York.
Nap Dufresne vs. Billy Allen, Montreal.
Young Erne vs. Ray Bronson, Terre Haute, Ind.
Frankie Neil vs. Bert O'Donnell, Wilkesbarre, Pa.
Bouts at Faneuil Hall A. C.
Jim Jeffords vs. Nat Dewey, Salt Lake.
Leo Houck vs. Tommy O'Keefe, Philadelphia.
Jack Robinson vs. Jim Farrell, Baltimore.
Young Loughery vs. Paddy Larin, Philadelphia.

SATURDAY.

Sandy Ferguson vs. Joe Jeanette, Paris.
Hugo Kelly vs. Billy Papke, San Francisco.
Jack Mahan vs. Tom Sawyer, Portland.
Tommy Devlin vs. Young Farmer, New Orleans.

SIDNEY GOES TO ENGLAND.

Fred Sidney, the fast North End colored lightweight, will sail for England on Wednesday, where he will join Sam Langford and hopes to get on several good matches.

John L. Sullivan's Column

None of the old-timers has got anything on that fighting Irishman, Peter Maher, who persists in sticking to the ring and taking a drubbing regularly from some of the fast new youngsters around Philadelphia. All that is needed to make Peter fight is to have some person act as his manager and get him a match and Peter is on the job. Occasionally he gets some raw one whose strength is not sufficient to cope with the veteran's ring knowledge and he cops a win and a little coin.

There have been many heavyweights noted for their punch and Maher was in the class with the ponderous wallop. It was his good right whip which caused the respect of all his opponents, but he needed more than that one asset to become a champion, as history goes to prove.

It was back in 1888 that I first got a glimpse of this husky fighter who was making things move among the pugs over in England and and Ireland, beating everything in sight in John Bull's domain.

While I was touring through Ireland we worked up a competition in which Peter was the king slayer, as he beat the field of fame seekers who went up against him.

A couple of years afterwards he came over to this country with a pretty good reputation behind him.

He was a fine specimen of an athlete when he struck these shores. A more handsome Celt never left Erin's Isle and I doubt if a more popular fighter ever came over from the other side. He never wanted to go back, which is good evidence that he was satisfied with the treatment that was accorded him here.

There never was a bigger-hearted slugger in the ring than Peter. Why, he never held any resentment up against a man who he met and happened to be better than he was with the gloves. The man who gave his career at the outset the worst dent was Bob Fitzsimmons, yet he has only the kindliest regard for the Cornishman.

That battle at New Orleans in 1892 was the first big affair Peter had in this country. Fitz was the middleweight champion then, having only the year before beaten Jack Dempsey for the title and stood a big favorite over Peter.

Some people who saw the fight claim to this day that Fitz had the narrowest escape of his life, and should have been counted out as he refused to heed the advice to keep away from that terrible right Maher carried. Maher put up a game fight, but Fitz got to him in the twelfth round and won by a knockout.

Peter had it on a lot of the heavyweights of the second class fifteen years ago, and picked them off by his shifty milling, but he always maintained that Fitzsimmons was the peer of the big fellows.

He told me: "Fitzsimmons was by far the best man I ever met, and I think he had it on all the heavyweights when he was at his best. He was more experienced in the fine points and was a magnificent ring general. No matter what happened he usually had some means of counteracting it and with his great hitting powers he was man enough to beat any fighter in the world. He might not have been so clever as Corbett, but he had the punch and the heart, and would wait his opportunity and take all kinds of punishment until he could get in his punch. After that all he had to do was to collect the winner's end of the purse. Bob made many enemies, but I always found him the right sort, and it is too bad there are not more of his kind in the world."

Answers to Letters.

John L. Sullivan:
Dear Sir—Please tell me if all ball games scheduled for a home team have got to be played on the home grounds—that is in the case of postponement? C. H.
Attleboro.

Postponed games are played off on the ground they failed to take place on as per schedule, but sometimes by mutual agreement are changed to the visiting team's field.

By C. E. VAN LOAN.

THE rising young editor, Oscar M. B. Nelson of Hegewisch, Ill., is soon to have a "hawg-wrassle" with one of his constant subscribers. Long before Mr. Nelson became an editor a tough citizen named Dick Hyland was on his trail. He saw some of Mr. Nelson's pieces in the paper and seldom agreed with them, answering through the columns of the daily press in the attitude of Veritas and Constant Reader.

Te meeting has been arranged and it must go over the Marathon course. This may turn out to be a bad piece of editing for Mr. Nelson, for if there is one thing which suits Hyland down to his stubby Cornish toes it is a chance to battle until the cows come home.

It has been some time since the young editor has had a real fight. His last advertised appearance was against Joe Gans, the Old Master, and, as before, he laid Joseph away in the pugilistic morgue. The second fight with Gans gave Nelson the lightweight championship of the world; the third fight proved that the second one had not been a fluke.

Gans Had Shot His Bolt.

Then Joe Gans went to New York, and in a miserable battle with Jabez White proved that, whatever he may have been when he fought Nelson the third time, at present he is no more than a pitiful shadow of the man who was one of the greatest fighters of the age.

The question naturally arose:

"If Joe was no better than this when Nelson beat him, where does Nelson get off?"

Two years ago a forty-five round fight between Nelson and Hyland would have attracted little or no attention. At the present time, with the suspicion that Bat may have gone back a trifle, it will be the most interesting match of the dull season.

One thing is certain: If Nelson is to be whipped a tough, head-to-head mauler, with little or no science and the stamina to go the long route, has more chance to trim the champion than a clever man ever had. Clever men were made to order for the hard-headed little Dane. The cleverer they were and the faster they fought him the sooner came the let-down, the resulting spurt on Nelson's part and then the melancholy "eight, nine, YOU'RE OUT!" He fought 'em all, the clever men with the punch, the clever men without the punch, and the men who had nothing BUT the punch and he weathered the whole fleet.

This time Nelson is to meet a man who fights exactly the same style of a battle. Not since he fought Eddie Hanlon has the champion been pitted against the same type of a fighter as himself. Nelson fights with his head down and hitches around the ring with one foot braced behind him. Hyland drops his shock head and comes in like a little bull, working both hands to the body like piston rods. He is not clever; a clever man has never had any trouble in keeping out of Hyland's way and making a mark of him at long range work. Hyland likes the shoulder to shoulder work and in Nelson he meets a man who does not fight any other way.

A Battle Full of Action.

It would seem that this fight will be one grand executive session from start to finish, and the result will turn upon endurance under severe punishment to the body and the stamina which keeps a man on his feet and fighting when every nerve in his body is crying out for rest. Both boys like the long route. Neither flinches under punishment nor has a suspicion of a "streak."

When it comes to taking a beating and coming back for more, Nelson is one of the marvels of the ring. A champion never lived who fought his way to the front under such severe whippings. Nelson says that he always figures to "get his" in the earlier part of every fight, and he never tries to escape punishment, but ducks his head and wades in, bound to have it over as soon as possible.

After the Goldfield fight there was a suspicion that Nelson was all through. He was matched to meet Britt at twenty rounds in what is now known as the Battle of the T-bone Steak. Billy Nolan had his own doubts about Bat's physical condition. Before every other fight Nolan had been confidence itself. On the night before the third fight with Britt Nolan said:

"If Nelson is beaten to-morrow night and by Britt, it will mean that he is done with the ring. If Britt should knock him out it would be his finish as a top notcher, and I do not think he would ever put on the gloves again. If he is whipped there is one thing that can be said about Nelson, and that is this: We may never see a man like him again. There never was a lightweight with anything like his power of endurance under punishment. He is in a class all by himself. Every good man he ever met laced him unmercifully for ten rounds or so, and with all that handicap to overcome Nelson won his fights by the knockout route. He can take a harder beating than most heavyweights, and he never backed away from a punch in his life. We may never see another physical marvel like Nelson, and certainly we cannot find one like him in the history of the ring."

Gans Coached Britt.

Nolan, shrewd as he was, thought in his heart that Nelson had fought his last good fight. The next night Britt gave the embryo editor a hard lacing, had him helpless at the end of the bout and fought him off his legs from the tenth round on to the finish. Joe Gans sat at the ringside and rooted for Britt, signalling punches and telegraphing instructions, which Britt followed to the letter. When Nelson was clinching to save himself and his finish seemed only a matter of minutes, he looked down over the ropes at Gans and said:

"Oh, if I had you in here to-night I'd make you jump out of the ring!"

After that fight everybody said Bat had been a good old wagon, but he had run out of axle grease. Gans took on Britt and forced him to quit, alleging a broken arm. Once more the negro seemed alone in his class. Nelson secured a second battle with Gans and whipped the champion after a hard fight. Later on he repeated the dose, and Joe's claim that he had not been "right" was thrown out of court.

Nelson won his way to a championship after years of hard work and harder fighting. Nolan was mistaken about Bat's ability to "come back."

The fight with Dick Hyland will give us the true line of Nelson's present condition. If the champion retains his title after a long, hard battle with Hyland and puts the little Grass Valley Cornishman on his back for the long count, it will mean that Nelson is still the physical marvel of four years ago, and not a man of the present crop of lightweights will have a chance against him in a finish fight.

After all the bloviating by the heavyweights and the newspaper battles of the past few weeks, one real slashing fight will be a welcome relief.

Sandy Ferguson, Bawsting's best bet, is now an advocate of nephalism. Now go to the book and look it up.

STAR BOUT AT SALEM TONIGHT

There is a fine card of boxing down at Salem to-night and many of the local fans will take the trip in order to see that match between Mickey McDonough of New York, who put Jerry Gaines away the other evening, and Billy Rolfe of South Boston. They are scheduled for a twelve-round journey at the Apollo Club, which has a big membership.

The Gotham middleweight has been licking them all over in his town, putting them out of business by the short route, but he faces one of the best we have got up in this region in his class, and Rolfe hasn't been forced to hear the count since joining the pro ranks and won't let McDonough have that glory of being the first to make him.

The North street rink will probably be crowded as the Witch City hasn't had such a stellar card in ring sport for a century and the two preliminaries look good. Gus Rogers of Lynn meets Young Kelly of Portland for six rounds, and Young Quinlan of Danvers appears in the semi-final of eight rounds with Kid Clancy of Lynn.

MIKE MURPHY TO RUN A MARATHON

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—Mike Murphy, Penn's famous coach and trainer, announces that he is preparing to hold a monster open-air Marathon run at the Philadelphia ball park on the night of May 29, the first night of the intercollegiate track contests at Cambridge. The run will be entirely professional, and all the famous runners of this and other countries will be entered, such as St. Yves, Shrubb, Dorando, Longboat, Hayes and Simpson.

NELSON MET BY TALLYHOS

SAN FRANCISCO, May 10.—Battling Nelson, fresh from his theatrical successes in the East, is in San Francisco to begin an engagement at a local playhouse and confer with Coffroth regarding his much talked of match with Packy McFarland.

Two big tallihos with a half score of sporting men and newspapermen were at the Ferry building to receive the conqueror of Joe Gans. Nelson said that after a conference he was to have with Manager Coffroth to-day he would be in a position to announce from the stage to-night his intentions relative to his fight with Packy McFarland.

IOWA, WRESTLER'S HOME.

Iowa is surely the home of wrestlers. It boasts of Farmer Burns, the man who made Frank Gotch champion of the world; of Gotch and of Jesse Reimer, or Westergard, as he is known.

Westergard is one of the coming mat wonders of the world. A few years since he was a fairly good preliminary wrestler, but with experience has forged into the front rank. His recent defeat of Gotch in a handicap match boosted him and he is looked upon by some as the probable successor of the Humbolt farmer for the title.

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Equality Between Men and Women Is Impossible

By ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

THE Chicago Municipal Suffrage Club offered a prize of $100 for the best poem written on the topic of "Suffrage," to be sung as a hymn to the air of "John Brown's Body."

The prize was awarded; and then the anonymous poet proved to be—A MAN!

Mr. Louis Block, principal of a Chicago school, carried off the honors of this literary contest.

Intellectually, I believe in suffrage; believe it must be the next great step in the circle which is now leading woman away from her natural sphere, but which will, when pursued far enough, lead her back to it.

Imagine life (what it is) a complete circle. circle.

Women Travelling in a Circle

Imagine woman starting at the top of this circle and going down the curve to its farthest opposite side, and then continuing to walk on until she comes up again to the top. And think how much more she knows than she did when she started; think of all she has seen, and learned, and experienced on the way.

Well, we are just taking the upward curve; and while the ballot will seem to many a step farther from the "home place," it will really be a step upward.

When woman finally attains the home place again she will have become the perfectly developed character; sweet yet strong, simple yet wise, with a feminine wisdom; and wholly disillusioned with any of her present-day ideas of "competing with man."

There will be no talk of "equality" either, because she will know herself wholly unlike man, and, therefore, it will seem as ridiculous to talk about equality as to compare the relative merits of fine china and gleaming jewels.

Each has its own value, and each its own use.

Woman has never been man's equal in an intellectual way. While she may excel him in some one mental quality, she is his inferior, considered as a mental whole.

When we look for originality, and creative and constructive powers, for logic and reason, and the qualities which make wise leaders, we must look to men.

And this is right, and becoming, and according to the eternal fitness of things.

Even when we ask for a good poem, setting forth our own rights to be considered the equal of man, we must find that a man has alone been able to supply the need.

Suffrage Poet a Mere Man!

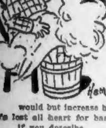
He can tell us what we want, and why we want it, and why we should have it, better than we can tell these things. Yet, because woman is NOT man's intellectual equal, is no reason at all why she should not vote; it is all the more reason why she SHOULD at this present juncture of masculine graft and dishonesty in matters political.

It is through the insistent demand of woman that she should be regarded as a human being and not on the level of a horse or dog that many of the old unjust laws regarding woman's right to own or dispose of her own earnings have given way to better and more just statutes.

All hail to woman suffrage, but excuse us if we smile when we read that the poet laureate of the Chicago Woman's Suffrage League is a man!

The Egotist

By WEX JONES.



HE cares not for the Sultan nor what the Turks may do;
It doesn't thrill his gnoodle when Roosevelt pots a gnu;
On politics and tariffs he's as silent as a tomb;
Mark Twain when at his funniest would but increase his gloom;
He's lost all heart for baseball, nor harks if you describe
The man behind the man behind the money for a bribe.
Only one topic he'll discuss, his being in it rolled,
And that's the nature of his cough,—the man who's got a cold.

HE'LL argue most excitedly on whether he should eat,
And if it's wise in boiling baths to soak his peeling feet;
If eucalyptus is a cure or just another fake,
And how many dover powders a grown-up man should take;
He'll talk of mustard plasters to help relieve the chest,
And draughts and drops and lozenges discuss with nervous zest.
A pill is more than poetry, hot toddy more than gold,
And dope is all absorbing to the man who's got a cold.

ALL muffled up in ulsters, it is his constant care
To cough as one who knows he's doomed, yet holds a plucky air,
So hoarsely hints of sufferings that rack his patient frame,
But how if he must pass away his ending will be game.
And thus he talks to every one, and bores his wretched friends,
Till nature works a sudden cure and his hollow coughing ends;
And even then he's mournful that he can't repine and scold,
And has no claim to sympathy, the man who's lost his cold.

QUITE SIMPLE.

Small boy (to his pale-faced aunt, in field)—What, auntie, afraid of that cow? All you have to do is to act the way they do in a bull fight. Just wave your red parasol at him and when he dashes up jump lightly aside. It's dead easy.—Life.

Cupid's Bowling Alley — By Beatrice Fairfax

Some girls have the faculty of making a "strike" on Cupid's bowling alley, where every man they meet falls under their charm.

CUPID has all sorts of cunning plans laid for the overthrow of his slaves.

Sometimes he sets all his men slaves up in a bowling alley and artfully crouches behind them so as to give just this one and then that a gentle push forward or back as he thinks best.

That sometimes all the manikins go over at once and he, their brave captain, with them, makes not the least difference to him.

All girls have at some time or other a man in love with them, and occasionally there comes along the rare, golden girl who carries all men off their feet.

From the baby boy to the grandfather, all men are attracted to her. She makes no great effort; she simply has it in her, that great unknown quality which appeals irresistibly to all men. The quality is so illusive, of such gossamer texture, that it is useless to define it.

One thing, however, is absolutely certain: She is feminine to her dainty finger tips.

Other girls enviously speculate as to wherein her great attraction lies, for she is not always a raving beauty.

Easy for the Right Girl

I remember a young aunt of mine, who had no claim to beauty save a slender, graceful figure, and every man she met lost his heart to her. She was not a flirt, for there was nothing cold-blooded about her; but coquette she undoubtedly was. Moreover, she had the power of holding the friendship of a man even after she had refused his proposal of marriage.

Sometimes the most unlikely men are bowled over in Cupid's alley—staid old bachelors, who look as though they could not tell a bit of romance from a pumpkin pie. It is simply that the right girl rolls the ball at them, and over they go.

When the wrong girl rolls the ball, there they stand, stolid, indifferent, safe in the armor of their bachelorhood. The funny thing about the right girl is that she does not even try to take very careful aim.

She just gives the ball a gentle push with her slim fingers, and off it goes, straight and true, until it finally topples over its hapless victim; and, from being a mere automaton, he wakens into living palpitating life.

If you are a lonely bachelor, living a life of eternal celibacy, go and take a stand in Cupid's alley; it is worth trying, just to see what will happen to you. Try it, do.

An Old Prayer

By ANDREW LANG.

MY prayer an old prayer borroweth,
Of ancient love and memory—
"Do thou farewell, till Eld and Death,
That come to all men come to thee."
Gentle as Winter's early breath,
Scarce felt, what time the swallows flee,
To lands whereof no man knoweth
Of Summer, over land and sea;
So with thy soul may Summer be,
Even as the ancient singer saith,
"Do thou farewell, till End and Death,
That come to all men, come to thee."

To-day's Best Story

A LANK, disconsolate-looking artisan, during the progress of a municipal meeting, stood on the steps of the town hall in an English town with the air of one who has been surfeited with a feast of some sort.

"Do you know who's talking in there now?" demanded a stranger, briskly, pausing for a moment beside the disconsolate artisan, "are you just going in?"

"No, I've just come out," said the artisan, decidedly. "Mr. So-and-so"—mentioning the name of a well-known speaker—"is talking in there."

"What about?" asked the stranger.

"Well," he ventured, "he didn't say."

Young-Man-Afraid-of-His-Wife

He accumulates new woes along with a small nephew

By Arthur Farland

"SAY, sport, ain't that a cute little kiddo up in front?" said the "L" guard to Young-Man-Afraid-Of-His-Wife.

"I see nothing cute in kiddoes—specially the boy variety," returned Young-Man-Afraid-Of-His-Wife. "I wish all the little boys in the world could be taken out to Africa and used as lion bait."

"Hello," said the guard, "I wasn't wise to the papoose addition at the wigwam, I thought the stork allers flew too high when passin' your way."

"Oh, the stork didn't bring this latest affliction," explained Young-Man-Afraid-Of-His-Wife. "It's just that Minnehaha has an aggravated case of small nephew, and I've contracted him—that's all."

"Go on and ladle it out," said the guard, grinning.

The Sweet, Tactful Child

"Last Monday morning George Warburton Bennett Whitcomb, young in years but past master in the art of being a nuisance, became a part of the furniture of the place I call home. George had been sent out to visit us for a week, and the way that child took a shine to his Uncle John was enough to bring tears to your eyes. It did to mine.

"'Where did you get all them funny little scratches under your eyes, and why are you barefooted on top o' your head?' was the first thing he demanded, as he stuck his hand behind his back when I wanted to celebrate our initial meeting with a handshake.

"'Those, sweet, tactful child,' I responded, 'are the signs of accumulated years and—er—other incumbrances.' But he wasn't the least bit interested in my reply; he was too busy thinking up something else to disturb my savoir faire.

"'Ride pick-a-pack!' he next demanded, and I pointed to our best rocker and invited him to 'pick-a-pack' as far as he liked. 'The idea!' said Minnehaha, in aggrieved tones. 'The sweet little darling sugar plum wants to ride on your back, of course. Doesn't 'oo, precious?'

"Precious did, and forthwith I proceeded to drape myself over the crex on all fours, while the vest pocket edition of a bloodthirsty Kickapoo Indian dug his heels joyously into my ribs, and urged me to 'giddap!' till I felt like a Marathon runner with the nightmare.

"And that was only the beginning of my nursery woes," continued Young-Man-Afraid-Of-His-Wife. "Monday night I read him the 'Life History of U. S. Grant in Words of One Syllable,' by way of soothing him to sleep, but it was half past twelve before that kid would close an eye.

The Bath Room a Raging Main

"About 3 a. m. a scream from Minnehaha awakened me. 'Some one is kidnapping little George,' she cried. 'Heaven be praised!' said I, and heaved a sigh of utter contentment. But Minnehaha dragged me from bed and hysterically commanded me to fly to his rescue at once. Upon investigation I found George fighting Stonewall Jackson's whole corps and ending the hopes of the Confederacy when I shook him by the hair.

"And that bloodthirsty Indian dug his heels into my ribs till I felt like a Marathon runner with the nightmare."

"Tuesday evening, after a hard day's work, I spent all my leisure building a sailboat to wing gaily over the waters of the bath tub. That finished, I sneaked to the library, and, after binding up several knife cuts and a damaged thumb nail, I attempted to knock off a few fleeting moments of undisturbed slumber, leaving that angel child alone.

"Not thirty minutes later I was aroused by a turbulent pounding on our front door; it was the man who lives in the flat under ours, and attired in raincoat and overshoes. He announced violently that his rooms were flooded and that his whole family were clothed in oilskins and anything but their right minds, as a consequence.

"Of course, Billy, you've guessed the answer," pursued Young-Man-Afraid-Of-His-Wife. "Little George had discovered that by turning the tap on full force he could produce a beautiful Niagara Falls and convert the entire bathroom into a raging main.

"Minnehaha blamed me for leaving the kid to play by himself, and reminded me that I, too, was once a boy, and that George, 'bless his little, playful heart,' was only having fun! You should have seen the funny check I handed over to the man down stairs.

"Wednesday, Thursday and Friday were days of wild excitement for me. I was kept busy all of one evening setting various fractures sustained by our furniture. The piano, during the battle of Bunker Hill, was the breastworks of the Britishers and Hessians, and it now resembles the Maine as it lies in Havana Harbor.

"But Saturday! Ah, Billy, Saturday was a gala day, indeed. Shortly after I reached the office I received a C. Q. D. over the 'phone from Minnehaha to return home at once, as little George had disappeared and she was sure he had been kidnapped! I was less hopeful. However, I hurried home and found the outlook really promising; Georgie was nowhere to be found!"

One of the Horrors of Poverty

"Aw, poor people's young ones don't get kidnapped," put in Billy. "It's the kale that talks, and a sport's got to have chunks of conversation in the bank to make a hit with them kidnap artists. And I ain't never noticed that you was worth even a pocket edition of a dictionary."

"And that's the sad, sad truth, Billy," said Young-Man-Afraid-Of-His-Wife, "for we finally discovered Georgie down in the coal cellar, with the janitor's boy, looking as if he'd been flirting with the inside of the kitchen stove. We shipped him home that night, because Minnehaha declared she would no longer run the risk of having him kidnapped right from under our noses."

"Shucks," retorted Billy, "as I said before, only rich men's kids gets swiped."

"Yes, Billy," said Young-Man-Afraid-Of-His-Wife, "and that's another one of the horrors of poverty."

HOLLAND'S BABY—By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

FAR away in quaint water-grit Holland there lies a happy little mother.

All her short life she been Princess and Queen, to-day she is far above either—she is a mother.

For days her loyal, loving subjects have clustered around the palace gates with prayers in their hearts and on their lips, that the coming heir to the throne of Holland might be a boy.

The little Queen was also loyal, and so she also dutifully prayed that she might bear a son.

But to-day, as she lies there, with her tiny daughter cradled in the hollow of her arm, do you think that she cares an atom about the sex of her baby? She only knows that it is hers, her very own—soft, little, precious baby, dearer a thousand-fold than kingdom or crown.

For a few blessed weeks she will enjoy her baby just as any other mother. She will lie quietly in her peaceful room, carefully guarded from all worries and affairs of state; the outside world will be as nothing, her kingdom of motherhood all sufficient.

After that she will have to take up the burden of state again and the hours spent with her baby will be more or less curtailed. But in the meantime she is just as any other blissful young mother.

Rumor says that Queen Wilhelmina has not been very happy in her married life. If such is the case, it is possible that the wonderful new baby may bring the young father and mother together again.

She Will Be a Wise Mother

Of one thing all Holland may feel assured, and that is that their idolized Queen will be a wise and tender mother.

The baby Princess will be unspoiled by her position. She will be trained to be a good woman first and a Princess afterward. She will be taught consideration for others and freedom from artificiality of all kinds. Queen Wilhelmina has made a careful study of the best physical and mental methods of child training.

She is herself a splendid example of unaffected, intelligent womanhood. The Princess will be taught that it is not half as important to be a Princess as it is to be a good woman.

A number of other Holland babies born on the same day as the royal baby will be presented with beautiful layettes and cradles. Some of them were probably born amidst the humblest surroundings. All the mothers, Queen or peasants, went through the same agony, all felt the same thrill of ecstacy at the first cry of the feeble new born voice, all were on the same great universal plane of motherhood.

The peasant mother, as time goes on, will perhaps envy the Queen mother because she will not have to spend hours taking care of her baby.

And the Queen mother, when affairs of state keep her for hours away from her baby, will envy the peasant mother who, untrammeled by ceremony, may watch the unfolding of her child's life.

Do you know the look on the face of a woman, who has lately brought a child into the world? It is the hushed look of wonder of one, who has touched with her finger tips the gates of the great beyond, a look of holy rapture that nothing but motherhood brings. It is a look that should bring every man to his knees in humble, worshipful adoration.

No matter who the mother, nor what her station or the circumstances, she has gone through that cleansing fire and deserves care and consideration.

All nations will share with the Hollanders their joy in the birth of an heir to the throne, and rejoice with them that the little Queen has come safely through her great ordeal, bringing her baby daughter with her.

Advice to the Lovelorn

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

MUST NOT DO IT.

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Having been in love with a certain girl for several years, and having temporarily given her up and lately arriving at the conclusion that I could not live without her, I sought her out and found, to my dismay, she had married another man.

Now, is there any harm in my still calling at her home and going out with her to theatres, etc.? Or should I try to forget her? She does not object to going out with me the same as of old. Her husband's business necessitates his being absent from home the greater portion of the time.

THERE is every reason why you should not call on her or have anything to do with her. You should have known your own mind when you had a chance to win her. Now she is another man's wife and you must leave her alone. Both you and she are very foolish if you go out together during her husband's absence. Try and forget her or you may get into serious trouble.

WEDDING ETTIQUETTE

DEAR MISS FAIRFAX:

Will you kindly tell me the correct dress to be worn by the bridegroom, best man and father of the bride, who will give her away, at a 6 o'clock wedding in church? Also if it is customary for the bride to wear a veil, if evening dress is worn.

A WEDDING taking place at 6 o'clock or after is supposed to be an evening wedding and full evening dress is customary. The bride should wear a veil.

EVENING IT UP

Smith—Do you believe in woman suffrage?

Brown—Sure! Let the women suffer the same as the men.—Judge.

A LOT WORTH SHARING

He—Will you share my lot?

She—Yes, when you have a house on it that is paid for.—Judge.

Manicure Lady's Hunch on Success Under Spotlight

"GEORGE," said the Manicure Lady, "have you ever read many of Mary Holmes's stories?"

"I never read any of them?" said the Head Barber. "What paper does she write for?"

"She doesn't write for a paper," said the Manicure Lady. "I ain't even sure that she is alive. She used to write, though. She wrote novels—swell ones. I was reading one last night, called 'Tempest and Sunshine.' That was the nicknames of two young girls, sisters. One was called Tempest because she was dark complected and surly like, and the other was called Sunshine because she was light and had a awful good heart and a sunny disposition."

"To the bush league with that stuff," exclaimed the Head Barber.

The Manicure Lady regarded the Head Barber severely. "I wasn't aware, George, that this little description of mine was boring you. If it is, I'll keep still. Heavens knows, I've been too long in the league to be kidded by a barber."

"Go on and talk; go on and talk," said the Head Barber. "I'm interested."

"Only the Brunette Women."

"Well, continued the Manicure Lady, "the two sisters was good friends for a while, and stayed good friends till a man came between them. He was awful handsome, and he loved Sunshine dearly. Tempest didn't like that a little bit.

"Honest, George, the way that miserable girl plotted against her fair young sister was a sin. She lied about her, and she lied about the gent which loved Sunshine. I wonder why it is that brunettes is so deceitful?"

They ain't declared the Head Barber. "I am a brunette."

"I mean brunette women," said the Manicure Lady. "I never knew but one brunette that was strictly on the level with her girl friends, and the poor thing was a deaf mute.

"But, as I was saying, this Tempest raised merry Cain with poor little Sunshine, and finally broke her heart. I sobbed when I was read that part of the story, George. I sobbed just awful.

Good Looks Main Requisite

"Well, to change the subject, Joe Blow, the bookmaker, was in yesterday, after having went to Pimlico for a little bookmaking. 'I am back, kid,' he says to me. 'In the words of the poet,' he says, 'I cut right in and I lost my roll and I cut right out again.' Poor Joe! Nothing seems to break right for him.

"Joe was telling me that I ought to quit this business and go on the stage. Joe is keen for me as a front row proposition. But I'm afraid I'm not stately enough. He says there is going to be two or three swell Summer shows in Boston this year, and he thinks he has influence enough to get me in any of them.

"I will admit, George, that I have often felt the call of the stage, and I will say this for myself—it ain't all looks with me. To succeed on the stage, I think a girl ought to have brains as well as good looks. Don't you?"

"Surest thing you know," said the Head Barber. "All she has to do is to waltz up to the footlights with her good looks, and the brains will come to her. The front rows is full of brains."

"Dot Li'l Possum Done It All"

By GEORGE RAMSEY

JIM BRONSON had been arrested for larceny, the charge being that he stole a 'possum and a steel trap belonging to Charles Washington, and, pursuant to his demand, was being tried before a justice of the peace by a jury of six colored folks.

Washington, sworn, said: "Jedge, I sot a trap near a cohn fiel' 'side a big gum tree for to cotch er 'possum, which all us colored folks need once in er while. When I go ter see de trap dere's 'possum sign eroun', but de trap am gone, en I see man tracks all erbout dat place.

"Jedge, I sho' was mad. I took dat track like er houn', an' bymbye I see dis hyah 'fendant on de road wif er bag on his back. I done shook dat bag, jedge, an' my trap an' 'possum drapped out'n it. De 'possum I eat, but dere's de trap an' heahs de man, jedge, yoah honah, dats all I gotter say."

But He Wasn't Downcast

Washington stepped down and the jury looked solemn. It appeared bad for the defendant, but he was not in the least downcast as he took the witness stand.

"Jedge, I like 'possum myself, but I hunt 'em wid er dawg and er torch, like er game spoht oughter.

"Dat night I was showin' er houn' pup how ter foller er trail, when he lit out, an' I knew me an' de ol' ooman 'ud have er 'possum fer supper.

"I shet my eyes an' I see dat 'possum wid sweet 'taters all piled round him, jedge, and de gravy sozin' out'n de skin an' drippin' all ober dem sweet 'taters, an' er jug er——"

A yell from a staid member of the jury brought the recital to a sudden pause.

"Well, jedge, I jes' natcherly took after dat fool houn', but he was plum out er hearin', so I guv up an' start fer home. De day was jes' breakin' when I see dis 'possum right fo' me. Den I look ergin, an' I see he foot in er trap. Den I walk erway, 'cause I won't take no man's 'possum, jedge.

"I Ain't Got a Smell"

"When I got er li'l way off, I look back, an' dat li'l possum he er sittin' up, holdin' out his han's, jes' askin' me ter take him erlong. Den I say, 'Jim, you-all ain' goin' to let dot li'l 'possum out hyah all be heself in de big swamp, is you? He don't belong to the man what sot dot trap. He didn't raise him. Dat man don't own de land de trap am on. 'Possum he own boss.' An' den, jedge, I hol' my bag in front dat 'possum, an' dat li'l cuss walk right in, trap an' all. I know dat trap 'long to some man, but ef dat li'l fat 'possum done bring it wif him into my bag, dat's no business ob mine.

"An', jedge, dat's de troof. I ain't touch dat trap. Dere it is, wid de pore li'l 'possum's foot still in it. I ain't got er smell ob dat 'possum, an' I ain' stole nothin'."

The justice read the law as to wild animals and explained the meaning of larceny, and the jury, looking at one another significantly, returned a verdict of "not guilty" without leaving their seats.

FICTION

"The Journal of a Neglected Wife."

By MABEL HERBERT URNER.

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October 20th (continued).

FATHER had come to New York on some political business, and had brought me with him to buy my trousseau. We were at the Fifth Avenue, where he had stopped for years. That night he was out at some meeting.

Tired from a day's shopping, I had slipped into negligee and was sitting by one of the long, low windows, looking out at the lights in Madison Square, thinking dreamily of Horace, and of our new life, now so near, when there came a sharp knock at the door. It was a bellboy with a card—Horace's card!

The blood flew to my face. He was there—downstairs. I told the boy to say I would be down in a few minutes. And then with a rush came the thought, why need I dress and go down? He was my fiance—why could I not receive him as I was, up here?

Father had taken a two-room suite, and one of the rooms was a private parlor, except for a large folding bed. I caught a glimpse of myself in the long mirror between the windows, the pale pink negligee I was wearing was far more becoming than any dress. Quickly I rang for another boy and told him to ask Mr. Kennedy to come up.

I waited in nervous uncertainty and doubt. Had I done right? I, who had always been so shy and conventional—was this conventional? What would he think?

Then came his knock. Tremulously I opened the door, my face suffused with color. In a moment he had me in his arms.

"My darling! this is so dear of you! I never dreamed of having you like this." He was kissing my hair, my lips, my throat.

With an effort I drew away. "But is it right? Should I have done this? You won't—you won't misunderstand"——

Instantly he released me and stepped back. "Understand?"

"No—no—I don't mean that. Of course, I know you won't. I am over-sensitive, dear, because—just because it is all so near."

"Dearest!" he whispered tenderly. Then he led me over to a large red plush sofa. He did not sit down beside me as I expected, but drew up a chair.

He told me of how he had invented a business trip to New York just to see me; that he was going to stay over tomorrow and he wanted me to give up shopping for the morning and let him take me for a drive.

He had never been more reverential, more reserved. He did not again take me in his arms, nor even kiss me. Instinctively I knew the cause. It was because of what I had implied when he entered—the fear that he might misunderstand.

And he was answering me by being far more constrained and reserved than he would have been had I been conventionally gowned in the drawing room at home.

This very delicacy and restraint made me want his love and caresses more than I had ever wanted them. I slipped my hand timidly through his arm.

"You needn't be so cold and distant just because I was—very—foolish when you came in."

"Dear, I'm not cold."

"Well, I want to be noticed," with a little laugh.

"And am I not noticing you? What do you think I've been doing since I came in —admiring the chandelier?"

"Oh, I hate you when you're—facetious!"

"I'm not facetious, dear. I'm only trying to be as I thought you would rather have me. I thought you were a little self-conscious, and I wanted to put you at ease."

Suddenly, impulsively, I turned and buried my face against his arm.

"Oh, I've missed you so—I've wanted your kisses so!"

"Have you, dear—have you really wanted them?" He had drawn me close to his side now. I could feel his heart beating hard and fast. And yet he did not kiss me. It was as though he was holding me to him, and yet away from him.

Something seemed forcing me on—forcing me to break down his reserve.

As I raised my arm to his shoulder, the lace sleeves fell back and my bare arm brushed his face and neck. I felt him quiver at the touch, and then he drew back, pushing me almost roughly from him.

"But you haven't kissed me! I want you to kiss me."

"Mary—don't, dear! Let me go—Mary!"

Both of my bare arms were around his neck now, and I was drawing his lips down to mine. Then with a smothered exclamation he crushed me in his arms, kissing me as he had never kissed me before—burning kisses that seemed to scorch.

The pin that held my gown at the neck became unfastened, baring my throat down to the lace of my lingerie. I tried quickly to refasten it, but he forced back my hand, and I felt his burning kisses on my bare neck and shoulders.

With a sick sense of terror—of horror, of something I cannot describe—I wrenched myself free and stood before him. I never knew what I said, but they were words of fierce, scathing denunciation, and then my voice broke—I covered my face with my hands.

I heard him walk over to the window. The silence of the room was horrible. When I dropped my hands and looked toward him, he was standing motionless before the window. At length he turned and came toward me.

"I will say good-night, Mary. I know of nothing else to say. I shall not come again until you send for me."

I saw him walk across the room, take up his hat and turn to the door. Then it closed after him.

(To Be Continued To-morrow.)

The Pagan in Church

By WILLIAM JOHNSON CORY.

YOU promise heaven's free from strife,
Pure truth, and perfect change of will;
But sweet, sweet is this human life,
So sweet, I fain would breathe it still.
Your chilly stars I can forgo;
This warm, kind world is all I know.

YOU say there is no substance here,
One great reality above.
Back from that void I shrink in fear,
And child-like hide myself in love.
Show me what angels feel. Tell them
I cling, a mere weak man, to men.

YOU bid me lift my mean desires
From faltering lips and fitful veins
To sexless souls, ideal chorus,
Unwearied voices, wordless strains
My mind with fonder welcome owns
One dear dead friend's remembered tones.

FORSOOTH, the present we must give
To that which cannot pass away;
All beauteous things for which we live
By laws of time and space decay,
But oh, the very reason why
[illegible]

THE MODERN SIR WALTER RALEIGH

OF the old-time gallant in his doublet and hose,
How romantic the picture we cuddle;
Yet full conscious he was of his chivalrous pose,
As he spread out his cloak in a puddle.

AS gallant a knight is the modern cop
In rendering homage to beauty;
He'll tie up her shoe or he'll bid traffic stop—
And all in the line of his duty.

Fruits, Flowers and Folks

Poets Are Plentiful---Especially on Boston Common

By ELBERT HUBBARD.

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ARISTOTLE lived four hundred years before Christ. He was a native of Macedonia, which was then a province of Greece.

When a boy of seventeen he walked to Athens, a distance of over two hundred miles, in order to attend the school of Plato.

Aristotle had been a mountain guide and a mountain climber, so a little walk of two hundred miles was nothing to him. All of his life he was an out-of-doors man. He was a lover of animals, especially of horses. He wrote a book on the horse—a book of three thousand pages. In the book he said all there was to say on the subject, and any man who now writes on the horse quotes Aristotle, knowingly or not.

Plato and Aristotle were associated as pupil and teacher and then as fellow-teachers for over thirty years. They finally separated on the relative value of poetry versus science.

The world needs its poets, but it needs the scientists more.

Poets are plentiful—especially on Boston Common—but scientists are as rare as white blackbirds.

Aristotle was the world's first scientist. He made the world's first geological collection, the first herbarium, and the first zoological garden, barring that of Noah.

Very much of our present scientific terminology goes back to Aristotle. We call the plants by the names that Aristotle gave them.

The plan of teaching adopted by Aristotle was so simple that the school board of Athens could not understand it, and finally Aristotle was exiled from Athens. He taught by setting his pupils to work; they collected natural specimens, and talked about them. He was the friend and companion of his pupils. Instead of disciplining them, he loved them.

Society Said He Lacked Dignity

People in the best society of Athens said that Aristotle lacked dignity, hence their displeasure, and the suggestion that he move on.

I want here to quote but one remark of Aristotle's. It is this: "The land that produces beautiful flowers and luscious fruits will also produce noble men and women."

That is to say, man is a product of soil and sunshine, just as much as is the tree.

Now, Aristotle loved horses. And the argued with Alexander, his pupil, that a horse was a product of nature, and, as a man could train horses, so could he also train trees and flowers. And while man himself is a product of nature, he yet has the power to fashion and form nature and utilize the forces of nature. Thus does man make, in great degree, his own environment.

Alfred Russell Wallace says that man's first education came through the domestication of animals. Friedrich Froebel, who was a forester before he was a school teacher, said that, through the care of flowers and trees, men evolved their own spiritual natures. Years after he had said this Froebel was surprised to find that Aritotle, twenty-three centuries before, had said the same thing.

Prayers for rain are good, but an irrigating ditch is more reliable. Providence has to be reinforced by intellect before we get the highest good. God certainly needs man, for God's fruits and flowers cannot compare with those where man has brought human system, science and love to bear.

Meet Nature Half Way

Where Nature is too lavish in her gifts man does not grow. In order to evolve and advance, man must do his part, meeting the Dame at least half way.

If Nature does too much for you, it is exactly the same as if your parents supplied all your wants.

Man exercised his ingenuity and worked.

He passed through the savage stage, where he lived on the wild products of Nature. Then he caught a cub wolf and it grew up and lived with him, helping him catch game. Then, to domesticate goats and sheep and cattle was to make food and skins for clothing reasonably sure. So man passes out from the savage stage to that of the nomad, who herds his cattle and sheep in the valleys where there is water and pasturage.

To ride an ox, horse or camel comes along as a natural result.

Then to plant seeds and sow grain in order to feed the horses and cattle, and, incidentally, to make bread for himself, rather than depend upon the chance bounty of nature, follows in due course.

So man evolves from a shepherd into a farmer, from the nomad into an agriculturist.

To depend upon the rainfall for water to make the grain grow and flowers blossom is the first and only way of which man knows. Then in times of drought he will carry water to moisten the parched ground.

Next it occurs to him to divert a stream, and make an irrigating ditch.

Then it is, and not till then, that flowers and fruits of the finest forms become possible.

And the thought and labor required to provide the water evolves the man.

So nature lures men on to the struggle for things, and eventually it comes to the worker that he himself has grown and evolved through the struggle.

Well did Aristotle say that the land that produces beautiful flowers and luscious fruits will also produce noble men and women. And in the production of the finest flowers and fruits man finds his own soul.

What Work and Science Do

The nations that have made the greatest impress have been those that lived in dry and arid districts, and not those located amid the bounteous natural gifts that exist along the coast and near the swamps and jungles where things grow lush and lusty.

Egypt was a land of canals. Assyria grew great, prospered and ruled the world because she knew how to apply water to desert land, where God supplied the sunshine.

Egypt and Assyria went down to their death when their citizens forsook the gardens and flocked to the cities to have a good time, leaving the land where grew the flowers and fruits to slaves.

Greece grew great on the tax collected from men who knew how to irrigate. Through the garden of Plato ran a diverted stream whose waters were cold and sparkling from the mountains. Plato was under the ditch; for Acadamus, who owned the ranch, had banked his all on a canal, which finally made him one of the millionaires of Athens.

Here it was that Aristotle lived, where the sky was blue three hundred days in the year, amid lavish and laughing luxuriance of land, where God supplied the sunshine and man the water. Here it was that he wrote, "The land that produces beautiful flowers and luscious fruits will also produce noble men and women."

NOT PRISON WALLS.

THIS jerry-building story was told by a mason. He and his family were moving, he said, and he was deputed to take down the pictures. It struck him that the nails on which the pictures were hung would probably save him something. But no sooner had he drawn the first than there was an awful clatter in the next room, followed by a cry from the wife:

"Whatever are you doing?"

He replied that he had only taken a nail out.

"Why you booby," came from the other room, "didn't you know I'd hung the best clock on the other end of it?"

COME BACK.

TO the Girl With the Hundred Selves:

Come back to the column. You are not forgotten, as your poem seemed to express. We have looked for your writings and wonder if you described all of the hundred selves. We miss you—come back.

—THE THREE ADMIRERS.

Officer Aids a 'Cinderella'

PITTSBURG, May 10.—Patrolman Frank B. Wise, a giant stationed at Fifth avenue and Smithfield street, the city's busiest corner, has to work hard, but admits that his labor is lightened sometimes by pleasing incidents. A new trolley car slot at the corner yanks the shoes from about twenty-five horses which step on it each day, and the slot is just wide enough to catch the heel of a woman's French shoe, so Wise's duty is diversified.

Recently he unbuttoned a French shoe, extricated it from the trolley track and, kneeling gallantly, buttoned the shoe where it belonged. Wise, observant as every good policeman should be, noticed that the foot on which he refastened the shoe was incased in a silk stocking of very delicate robin blue color. The grateful owner of the shoe thanked Wise and went on.

An hour later Wise pulled another shoe from the track and was about to put it on the blushing owner when he saw the same lovely robin blue stocking.

"Excuse me, Miss," Wise ventured, politely, "but didn't I put on this shoe for you a while ago?"

"No sir," stammered the girl; "that was the other shoe."

ON THEIR WAY

Officer—"Good heavens, man, where are your shots going?"

Recruit (tearfully)—"I don't know, sir. They left here all right."—Punch.

Fashion Revives Freak Style

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX

WE have sweetly and patiently put up with pompadours, puffs, rats, curls, etc., but the "bang" is really too much.

Madame Fashion has no excuse for imposing this last and most unbecoming style of hairdressing upon us.

It does not suit one woman in a thousand, but the thousand women will adopt it just the same.

It has come most insidiously, this cropped effect. At first one occasionally saw a straw woman who had pulled a few wandering locks down over her forehead, but now it is to be seen everywhere. It does not seem possible that any woman blessed with a broad, intelligent forehead should want to cover it with a fringe of hair; but just wait and see who will win out in the struggle between intelligence and style.

It is not a style that will last long, and then will begin the struggle to get the refractory locks back into place. It takes one minute to cut a bang and one year to have it grow long enough to go back into place with the rest of your hair.

It is, of course, a fashion that men will hate, but we women in our mad pursuit of style gallop far away from man and his likes and dislikes.

It is strange that we should become so obsessed by a fashion as to forget entirely good looks and sensibility, but so it is.

The middle-aged woman will wear a hat far too gay and girlish for her years; not that she especially desires to look young, but that it is the style, and she can't resist it.

A bang takes away the look of delicacy and refinement from a woman's face and gives her more or less of an animal look. It suggests Shetland ponies and poodle dogs.

Imagine the Venus de Milo in a bang! Wouldn't she look funny?

I am quite aware that it is rather useless to advise my own sex on matters of fashion, for each woman will wear what she wants to; but I do advise you, one and all, to think it over very carefully before you cut a bang. It will make you look older and, believe me, it will not be becoming, be it ever so stylish.

Just for once get the better of wily Mme. Fashion and let her see that she is not quite the autocrat that she considers herself to be.

If you want to know how bangs look, get out an album of old photographs and turn to those taken about fifteen years ago. Unless Fashion can do better than turn to the styles of fifteen years ago, she had better leave us alone.

SOCIETY

Ethel Stockton, Society Belle, a Bride.

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

First and most important among the fashionable weddings of the proverbially unlucky May-time was that at noon to-day of the well-known belle and beauty Miss Ethel Stockton, daughter of Howard Stockton of No. 31 Comonwealth avenue, and Alexander Whiteside of Beacon street.

Miss Stockton, who is tall and slender with pretty brunette coloring made the loveliest of brides in her trailing gown of white satin and family lace and an enveloping veil of tulle.

The ceremony took place in St. Paul's Church and was performed by the Rev. William Howard Falkner, the rector, assisted by the Rev. Sherrard Billings of the Groton School, a brother-in-law of the bride.

Miss Stockton had no attendants, neither maid of honor nor bridesmaid and was given in marriage by her father.

Dr. George Shattuck Whiteside has come on from his home in Portland, Oregon, and was his brother's best man, and the ushers were Lawrence Mason Stockton, Harvard '01, and Howard Stockton, Jr., Harvard '06, two brothers; Randolph C. Grew, Arthur Pier and Andrew J. Peters of Washington, William Kirkpatrick Brice, Alexander Duer Irving, Jr., and Philip Curtis of New York, all Harvard '95 men, classmates of the groom; Richard de Blois Boardman, '00, and Albert Huidekoper of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. William Amory and Miss Jane Stockton are sisters of the bride and Philip Stockton, who some years ago married Margaret Head, is a brother. Mr. Whiteside's sisters are Mrs. Robert Soutter of Hereford street and Mrs. Moses Williams, Jr., of Needham.

General and Mrs. Edward H. Ripley will shortly issue invitations for the marriage of their two pretty and talented daughters, Miss Amelie S. H. Ripley, who is to wed Raphael Welles Pumpelley, and Miss Alice Van Koren Ripley, who will become the bride of A. de T. Ogden Jones in Grace Church early the coming month. The Misses Ripley are well known in Boston as well as in New York, Washington and Bar Harbor and their wedding will be among the most brilliant of the year.

Both girls have recently been traveling through the Orient with their parents, having returned only a month or so ago.

Mr. Pumpelley is the son of Professor and Mrs. Pumpelley of Newport and Dublin, N. H. He is a Harvard man and during his course at that college figured conspicuously in the social life of Cambridge and Boston. Mr. Jones is a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Jones of New York.

Mr. Joseph G. Thorp, Miss Amy and Miss Erica Thorp and Henry Wadsworth Longfellow Dana, a cousin of the young girls, return from Washington to-day, where they went for the unveiling of the Longfellow statue and were registered at the Shoreham.

The unveiling of the statue was performed by the poet's grand-daughter, Miss Erica Thorp. Others of the Longfellow family who went over for the occasion were Mrs. Richard H. Dana, R. H. Dana, Jr., and Miss Delia Dana, one of the past season's prettiest buds.

Mrs. Roger Wolcott and her daughter, Miss Cornelia Wolcott, have closed their Commonwealth avenue house and have gone to Milton for the Summer.

Mrs. Charles E. Perkins of Commonwealth avenue plans to leave later in the week for her estate at Westwood, where she will spend a few weeks before going to Burlington, Iowa, for the Summer. Miss Mary Perkins, the daughter, will sail for Europe the last of the month.

Mrs. Larz Anderson's large circle of friends are awaiting most anxiously for the publication of her story "The Moon Baby." The story, which is for children, marks Mrs. Anderson's first step into the world of letters and her friends are wondering how she could possibly find time to write stories and queen it socially as she does.

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See if we tell the truth.

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It is wrong to take such risks.

A Whole, Rich Milk

Van Camp's is simply rich Holstein milk, with two-thirds the water evaporated. Nothing whatever is added. Nothing is subtracted, save water.

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It separates again when you get it. So the milk used for cooking is rarely more than a half milk.

Compare one milk dish made with Van Camp's with one made with milkman's milk. Note the difference in richness and flavor.

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A Cow in the Kitchen

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Rich milk or cream whenever you want it. No waiting for the milkman, no shortage, no waste.

Yet Van Camp's is the cheaper.

It is as thick as thick cream; so thick that you add one part water for coffee. Yet it doesn't cost half your milkman's price for cream.

Add two parts water and you have rich milk. The cost of such milk, when you buy Van Camp's by the case, is about six cents per quart.

Then you have no waste—no milk left over. Sometimes Van Camp's cuts off half on the milk bills.

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TO-DAY'S STOCK MARKETS

PRESSURE ON STOCK MARKET

By T. C. SHOTWELL.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The coming fortnightly settlement in London induced some selling in the way of evening up of accounts. A good long interest in American shares was discovered, and with a decline in consols and some unsteadiness in foreign markets London prices became irregular and lower to-day.

The New York market was also under pressure following general profit taking, which began Saturday. This was most notable in the metal shares. The selling was fairly well absorbed during the first hour of trading. Reading and Union Pacific were prominent. There is manifest manipulation in the handling of both these issues. Reading in particular showed the effect of a master hand in this respect.

The closing supply of this stock in Wall street has never been so small as at this time but it does not appear to be the purpose of those in control to allow it to become a leader in the upturn just at present.

On the Curb Market copper shares continued in favor with Nevada Consolidated, Cumberland Ely and United Copper leaders of this group. In the silver shares La Rose, Nipissing and Kerr Lake were in demand.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon, for leading New York stocks:

RAILROADS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Atch., T. & S. F.	110⅝	108⅞	110⅛
Balt. & Ohio	115¼	114⅞	115⅝
Brooklyn Rap. Tr.	78⅞	78¾	78¾
Canadian Pac.	180⅝	180⅝	180⅜
Ches. & Ohio	78⅝	77⅞	78⅛
Chic. Gt. West	5¼	5	5
Chic., M. & St. P.	153¼	152¼	152¾
Chic. & N. W.	183½	182	183½
Col. & Southern	65½	65½	65½
Del. & Hudson	185	184½	185
Del., Lack. & W.	670	670	670
Denver & Rio G.	51¼	51	51
Erie	33⅛	32⅝	33
Erie first pref.	50⅝	49½	50⅝
Gt. Northern pref.	146½	145⅞	146⅛
Illinois Central	146¼	146	146¼
Int.-Metropol.	16⅞	16½	16½
Int.-Met. pref.	46½	46⅛	46⅝
Ks. City So.	46	45⅝	45⅞
Ks. City So. pf.	72⅝	72⅝	72⅝
Louis. & Nash.	139½	139½	139½
Mo., Ks. & Tex.	43½	43⅛	43¼
Missouri Pac.	75	74	74⅞
N. Y. C. & Hud.	132⅝	131⅝	132⅝
N. Y., Ont. & W.	49	49	49
Norfolk & West.	91¼	91	91¼
Northern Pac.	145⅞	145¼	145½
Pennsylvania	135½	135⅛	135¼
Reading	152½	151	152¼
Rock Island	30⅞	30	30⅜
Rock Island pf.	72	71⅜	71⅜
Southern Pac.	122⅞	122¼	122½
Southern Ry.	29⅝	29¼	29⅝
Texas & Pacific	34⅝	34⅜	34¼
Union Pacific	188½	187⅞	188⅛
Wabash	20⅝	20⅛	20⅜
Wabash pf.	52⅝	52	52⅝
Wisconsin Central pf.	89¼	89¼	89¼

INDUSTRIALS AND MISCELLANEOUS.

	High.	Low.	Noon.
Amal. Copper	83⅞	82⅞	83½
Am. Car & Fdy.	55⅝	55	55¼
Am. Cotton Oil	68½	65⅝	68¼
American Sm. & R.	94½	93½	94
Am. Sugar Ref.	133⅝	133⅜	133⅜
Am. Beet Sugar	36⅝	36⅛	36⅛
Amer. Woolen	36½	36½	36½
Anaconda Copper	51¼	50	51⅛
Col. Fuel & Iron	41	40¼	40½
Con. Gas (N. Y.)	137¾	137½	137½
Distill. Secur.	40	39⅝	39⅝
Gen. Electric	160½	160	160½
Hocking Coal	64	63¼	64
National Lead	88⅞	88½	88⅝
People's Gas	114⅝	114½	114½
Press. Steel Car	42¼	42¼	42¼
Rep. I. & Steel	27⅛	26⅞	26⅜
U. S. Rubber	40½	40	40¼
U. S. Rubber 1st pf.	111½	111	111½
U. S. Steel	57⅞	57⅜	57⅝
U. S. Steel pf.	119⅝	119½	119⅝
Utah Copper	52⅝	51½	52
Va.-Car. Chem.	51⅝	50½	50⅝
West. Un. Tel.	77	76⅝	76⅝
West. El. & Mfg.	84½	84	84½

WILLIAM B. PEARCE, MILLIONAIRE, DYING

PROVIDENCE, May 10.—William B. Pearce, an eccentric millionaire and one of the most picturesque characters of Rhode Island, was reported dying at the Narragansett Hotel, where he had been a guest for years.

For thirty years, Winter and Summer, he had occupied the same end seat of a settee under the great oil painting of the death of Nelson. He was known as the president of the Rotunda Club on this account. Pearce had two hobbies, paintings and fast horses.

STEEL TRUST GIVES MEN SUNDAY OFF

PITTSBURG, Pa., May 10.—For the first time in its history the National Tube Works of McKeesport has given its 1,200 men a Sunday with their families. This step Superintendent W. A. Cornelius of the National plant declares is the forerunner of the movement which, before it ends, will close every property of the United States Steel Corporation of which the National Tube Works is a component part, on Sunday.

2 DEAD, 3 DYING IN MINE EXPLOSION

FREDERICKSBURG, O., May 10.—Two men were killed and three were fatally injured in a dynamite explosion in a shanty at the mouth of a coal mine operated by the Fredericksburg Terra Cotta Company.

MISS BAILEY, ARTIST, DIES IN HER STUDIO

Miss Mercy Bailey, a prominent artist of Boston, died to-day in her studio in Copley Hall from apoplexy. Her death proved a great shock to her large circle of friends. She had taught for many years in the Normal Art School, and was well-known throughout the country as a painter.

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NORTH BUTTE OPENS WEAK

STATE STREET—Early weakness in North Butte was again the feature in the local stock market, but the four-point break to 59½ was not an organized raid. However, it resulted in toning down active speculation on the upside which will benefit the market, as things were going at a pretty swift pace. Stop-loss orders were the cause of the decline in North Butte. Saturday's break brought in more or less selling. Otherwise the market acted well.

The Market Features.

Lake Copper was active and strong up to 25¾, with Gay the large buyer. Favorable advices were received from the property this morning. North Lake touched 9¼. Amalgamated slid off from 83¾ to 83 on fair trading. North Butte made recovery to 63 from its low. Calumet & Hecla made a high on this movement at 650. American Zinc stiffened a point to 26½.

Active on the Curb.

Trading was very active on the local curb, particularly in Ohio Copper, which advanced to 6⅝ on buying by a prominent curb house. Inspiration and Ray Central were also active, as was Davis-Daly. Price changes were not important, but the market had a good tone. Profit taking in Vulture caused a decline to 6¼. Southwestern Development was again active, selling up to 44 cents.

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices to noon for leading Boston stocks:

	High.	Low.	Noon.
RAILROADS.			
Boston Elevated	128½	128½	128½
TELEPHONES.			
American	141	140⅞	141
MISCELLANEOUS.			
American Pneumatic	9½	9¼	9¼
Am. Pneu. pf.	20⅝	20½	20½
United Fruit	136½	136¼	136¼
UNLISTED SECURITIES.			
Amalgamated	83⅝	83	83½
Am. Woolen pf.	105	104⅝	104⅝
Am. Zinc	26½	25½	26
Boston Con.	16¼	16	16
East Butte	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝
Lake Copper	25¾	25½	25⅝
Miami Copper	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝
Rotary Ring	6⅝	6½	6½
Superior Boston	15¼	15¼	15¼
Superior & Pittsburg	15	15	15
Swift & Co.	104½	104	104
U. S. Coal & Oil	32½	32¼	32½
U. S. Smelting	45⅞	45⅞	45⅞
U. S. Smelting pf.	47	46⅝	46⅝
MINING STOCKS.			
Adventure	9	8⅞	9
Arcadian	5	5	5
Arizona Commercial	45¼	45	45¼
Atlantic	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Butte Coalition	27½	27⅛	27⅛
Calumet & Arizona	105	104	104½
Calumet & Hecla	650	636	650
Copper Range	81	80⅝	80⅝
Franklin	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝
Granby	104½	104½	104½
Greene-Cananea	11⅝	11⅜	11½
Mass	15¼	15	15¼
Mexico Con.	5¼	5¼	5¼
Nevada Con	21⅝	21½	21⅝
North Butte	63½	59½	62½
North Lake	9¼	9	9¼
Old Dominion	55½	55	55½
Quincy	94	94	94
Trinity	15	15	15
Utah Copper	52⅝	51½	51½
Victoria	5½	5½	5½
Wyandotte	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
LAND COMPANIES.			
East Boston	12	12	12

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

Range of prices from 10 a. m. to 12 m.

	High.	Low.	Last.
Ariz. & Mich.	1 3-16	1 3-16	1 3-16
Bay State Gas	62c	60c	60c
Cactus Devel	3 1-16	3 1-16	3 1-16
Cal. & Corbin	1½	1⅜	1½
Chief Cons.	1½	1½	1½
Cobalt Central	43c	42c	43c
Cumberland Ely	8¼	8⅛	8 3-16
Davis Daly	6⅞	6⅝	6⅝
First Nat. Copper	6⅛	6 1-16	6 1-16
Geyser	10c	9½c	9½c
Goldfield Cons.	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
Gold King	40c	40c	40c
Greene Gold-Silver	5c	5c	5c
Inspiration	7 3-16	7⅛	7 3-16
La Rose	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Majestic	98c	96c	97c
National Explor	55c	55c	55c
Nevada Utah	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
Nipissing	10⅛	10½	10⅛
Ohio Copper	6⅝	6⅝	6 11-16
Rawhide Coal.	37c	36c	37c
Ray Central	3¼	3 3-16	3 3-16
Ray Cons.	15⅝	15¼	15¼
Santa Ysabel	6c	6c	6c
Scoora Min.	72c	72c	72c
Southwest. Devel.	44c	38c	43c
Tonopah	7¼	7¼	7¼
Vulture	7⅛	6⅜	6⅜
Yukon	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛

BOSTON BANK STATEMENT.

	May 8, '09.	May 1, '09.	Decrease.
Loans	$207,431,000	$208,044,000	$613,000
Circulation	7,681,000	7,664,000	*17,000
Deposits	178,762,000	188,931,000	10,169,000
Due banks	87,876,000	84,103,000	*3,773,000
U. S. deposits	723,000	737,000	14,000
Reserve agts.	42,228,000	43,731,000	1,503,000
Exch. clear.	16,051,000	19,359,000	3,308,000
Due from bks.	21,921,000	22,185,000	264,000
5 p. c. funds.	390,750	390,750	....
Legal tenders	3,990,000	4,206,000	216,000
Specie	28,401,000	28,804,000	403,000
Reserve excess	5,980,286	6,410,571	430,285
Ex. res. agts.	15,817,286	17,131,571	1,314,285

*Increase.

Excess of reserves last year in Boston, $1,931,143, with reserve agents $5,482,143.

SILVER MARKET.

London bar 24⅜d, off 1-16d. New York bar 53c., off ⅛ cent.

COPPER MARKET.

London opened strong: spot, £59 15s.; futures, £60 10s., each up 10s.

*Closing easy: Spot, £59 10s.; futures £60 5s, each off 5s. Best selected, £63 5s., up 5s.

At the New York Metal Exchange to-day all grades of copper were advanced ⅛c. in the bid and asking figures, bringing Lake up to 13⅛@13⅜, electrolytic to 12⅞@13, and castings to 12⅝@12⅞.

REPORT ON COPPER.

The report of the Copper Producers' Association for April shows that production was 3,484,369 pounds less than for March. Deliveries and exports were 4,503,114 in excess of March. Excess production over consumption was 918,171 pounds, as against 8,905,654 and 29,154,203 pounds for March and February respectively. Surplus stock on hand April 30 was 183,198,073 pounds.

GOLD MINE FOUND IN ADIRONDACKS

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., May 10.—In an effort to establish his claim to what he believes to be one of the richest gold deposits ever found in this country, Henry Allen of this village, deputy sheriff of Essex county, is in Albany, where he was joined by his attorney, F. A. Isham, also of Lake Placid.

The gold-bearing vein which Mr. Allen has found is somewhere in the mountains to the southwest of this village, but he refuses to divulge its exact location.

DOG GONE; ACTOR TO EXPLAIN TO COURT

"Charlie" Towne, a former Boston newspaper man and author of "The Foolish Dictionary," is adding some new definitions to that lexicon since the alleged theft by Bert Lawrence, an actor, of Towne's bull-pup. It is the same dog to which Towne dedicated the "Foolish Dictionary" in these words: "To my dog who first heard these lines and didn't run away mad, I reverently dedicate this tome." Towne was in Newburyport. So was the actor, likewise the dog. Following the disappearance of the two latter, Lawrence was arrested in Fitchburg. He will be in the Newburyport Court to-day.

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THE PACIFIER

BRISK DEMAND CONTINUES FOR REALTY SITES

Activity in the Back Bay, Dorchester and the South End are the features of real estate transactions to-day.

Jesse Eddy has sold to Sarah F. Noyes 8,000 feet of land at Commonwealth terrace, assessed for $2,000.

In the same section Sarah F. Noyes has sold property assessed for $11,000 to Elisha B. Sears. Sarah F. Noyes has also sold to Martha H. Booth 4,000 feet of land, assessed for $1,000, in the same locality. The transfer of 4,000 feet of land assessed for $1,000, from Jesse Eddy to Martha H. Booth, was also recorded to-day.

Celia Wrofsky has sold to Sarah Waldman a large tract of land at Lena Park, Harvard and Austin streets, West Roxbury, at the rate of 10 cents per foot.

Twelve lots at Lena Park, comprising about 5,500 feet of land assessed at 10 cents per foot, have been sold by Celia Wrofsky to Israel Srk et al.

Sales in Dorchester include house and land at No. 88 Alban street from Annie E. Baker to Mary L. Dillaway. All assessed for $6,200, including 9,000 feet of land assessed at $2,700.

Theresa E. Smith has sold to Hannah McCarthy house and land on Harvard street, near Greenock street, Dorchester. The property is assessed at $1,300, including 3,750 feet of land worth $800.

Transfer of frame house and 2,609 feet of land at No. 87 Clifton street, Dorchester, from Adna G. Dinsmore to Eva A. Billings, was recorded to-day. The assessed value is $5,900, of which $900 is on 2,609 feet of land.

A transfer of frame house and 3,783 feet of land, all assessed at $6,500, at No. 40 Burgess street, near Clifton, Dorchester, between the same parties, was recorded.

In the South End the George F. Blake estate has sold to John Moir the four-story building and 2,250 feet of land at No. 14 James street. All is assessed for $16,000, of which $4,000 is for the land.

Rosa Rodman has sold to Fannie Skolnick the four-story brick building and 4,634 feet of land at No. 11 Savoy street, South End. The property is assessed for $14,200, of which $5,900 is for 4,634 feet of land.

The files of the Real Estate Exchange show the following entries of record at the Suffolk Registry of Deeds for the week ending May 8:

	1909.	1908.	1907.
No. of transfers	608	431	444
No. of mortgages	266	177	177
Amt. of mortgages	$1,283,207	$780,553	$760,317

Date.	Total.	Mtgs.	Amt. of Mtgs.
May 3	119	53	$222,563
May 4	87	38	161,827
May 5	112	51	287,464
May 6	88	39	192,500
May 7	101	42	137,228
May 8	101	43	281,625
Totals	608	266	$1,283,207

SCORES CARNEGIE IN PULPIT SPEECH

NEW YORK, May 10.—Speaking from the same pulpit in which he praised John D. Rockefeller, Alexander Irvine, a Socialist and lay preacher, bitterly attacked Church of the Ascension.

"Mr. Carnegie," said the speaker, "scatters libraries broadcast for the workingmen, but works his laborers twelve hours a day, so that they won't have time to read the books."

"COLLECTION-BOX EVANGELIST" GONE

"The evangelist with the limp-covered Bible in one hand and a collection box in the other has been eliminated," said John H. Converse, a business man of Philadelphia, to-day, at a meeting of the Evangelical Alliance in Park Street Church. "Evangelists for revenue only have gone. There is a great opportunity and a great duty of every minister to perfect the saints in Boston. The laymen of the church should attend to the financial affairs and let the minister attend to the spiritual affairs'."

POOR TEAMSTER GETS $40,000,000

DES MOINES, Ia., May 10.—H. H. Beans, a drayman of Sheldon, Ia., was to-day notified that he is heir to an estate of $40,000,000 in New York city. Beans is poor and has a family. He will go East at once.

Nearly everybody in Boston reads the AMERICAN.

YANKEE STORE GIVES LONDON A WAKING UP

LONDON, May 10.—In the two months since H. Gordon Selfridge, a Chicago merchant prince, opened his great American department store in Oxford street the establishment has smashed a dozen English shopping traditions. Mr. Selfridge is having a hearty laugh now. He says:

"It had been a tradition among shopkeepers in London, for instance, that people dislike to go above the first floor to buy. It was declared that English women wouldn't use elevators. We have proved this to be 'absolute rot,' as they say in England.

"It was also said that English women wouldn't act on advertisements, but we have found exactly the same results from advertising here as in Chicago.

"Other arguments against the success of a store run on the lines of the one we have established were:

"The people wouldn't come in unless they wanted to buy because they were too timid. Our answer to this is the fact that a large number of English women have taken to shopping at our store as a recreation, and that thousands visit us daily simply to look at our goods.

"That if the shop workers were treated with kindness they repaid this with undue familiarity. This has also been proved a great fallacy. We treat our 1,500 workers (all English with half a dozen exceptions) with the same familiar dignity as we did in America, and it is appreciated in the same way."

Perhaps the most interesting feature of Mr. Selfridge's success is the alacrity with which his rivals are adopting his methods.

"COOP" COTTAGES AS HOMES FOR WORKERS

The latest solution of the tenement house problem is "the coop cottage." The name in full is "the co-operative cottage."

The idea is to provide a country home in common for from ten to twenty families of moderate circumstances. The idea originated in Boston. Already a number of workers in one big department store have started the organization of a group to try out the new plan.

The energetic members of the William Filene Sons' Company Co-Operative Association, affiliated with the Filene stores, at No. 253 Washington street, are taking steps to adopt this new model home idea, which was originated by Robert Brown, a well-known architect of 2A Park street. The plans of Mr. Brown are after the famous English garden style of home, where ten to twenty families co-operate in the running of one great estate.

From the start, when Mr. Brown suggested the idea to the members of the Filene Co-operative Association, great enthusiasm was manifested, and already sixteen members have signed a paper signifying their willingness to join what will be known as "The Associated Cottagers' Company."

All the plans have not been completed, nor has the exact location yet been decided upon. Among the localities under consideration is Winthrop.

NOTED AUTHORESS DIES IN ALABAMA

MOBILE, Ala., May 10.—Mrs. Augusta J. Evans-Wilson is dead at her suburban home, "Ashland." She was born in Columbus, Ga., in 1835, and began writing early in life.

She was but twenty-one when her first book, "Inez," was issued. The work was like a revelation to the readers of America and was an instantaneous success.

"Beulah" in 1859 and "Macaria" in 1864 increased her popularity, which culminated with the publication of "St. Elmo," her most widely read work, in 1866.

MOTOR BOAT ON CHARLES BURNS

A large motor boat, the Pythian, belonging to Louis H. Fritsch of No. 70 Waverley street, Cambridge, caught fire at its moorings at the public landing in front of Riverbank Court, and was burned to the water's edge. The boat had been used as a storage place for gasolene for the other boats at the landing, and it is thought the fire was started from spontaneous combustion of oily waste.

WALL STREET NEWS OF INTEREST TO INVESTORS

WALL STREET, New York, May 10.—Prosperity is not returning. It is already here. Wall street saw it first, and now the public has been let into the secret. The mills of the Steel Trust are grinding out their orders in larger volume every day. The railroads are putting on more cars of greater variety. Building has been resumed and there is a boom in structural material of all kinds. Labor is more fully employed, the tariff joke at Washington is more thoroughly appreciated, and money is flowing into all channels of trade. There are no more important decisions hanging over the stock market, and very few Legislatures are in session to plague vested interests with new-fangled laws. The laws of Nature are having a chance, and the stock market is obeying the one commonly known as the Law of Action and Reaction. Prices of securities promise to astonish the world as much in 1909 as they did in 1907.

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When the market recovered from the February break brought about by the alleged steel war, public interest was still restricted. Professionals were the only real buyers. The new administration had been thoroughly tested by the banking fraternity. Animosity engendered by the old regime had been buried. Larger banking interests took heart and laid elaborate plans for an active industrial campaign. The tariff was a menace until it became manifest that this would be turned in favor of the material interests of the country. The commodity decision removed the last straw from the load of apprehension which had been accumulating for so long, and the industrial boom now in progress is the result.

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Although the public refused to buy on the advancing market, it held an enormous volume of securities purchased in the panic. These holdings now show such great profits that the public attention has been attracted to the stock market, notwithstanding the sneers and attacks of unbelievers. The public now begins to realize that it has profits with which to deal in stocks. It realizes also that, with the increased capacities added by the trusts just at the end of the last boom, when there was no opportunity of employing them, the new boom will be greater than has ever been possible before. The Steel Trust, for instance, can make rails $5 a ton cheaper at the Gary plant than it could in its best mills two years ago. The rail capacity of the trust alone is now greater than the entire rail capacity of the nation two years ago. The same conditions prevail in other large corporations.

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Cost of production has been reduced, yet, by some mystery of economy not clearing understood, selling prices have been increased. The cut in steel, which attracted so much attention in February, was nothing more than a public and official confirmation of prices that had been quoted privately for months. That is why the steel war ruined no independents, as it threatened to do at its beginning. Perhaps that is why the Trust is favoring a combination of independents. The Trust interests apparently feel that independents could be handled much more easily if they were under one management. There is no intention of absorbing them at present, if ever.

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It is not a national calamity that the price of wheat holds firm, for there are plenty of other foods. Canada can in twenty years equal the United States in the production of wheat, but the high price of wheat is increasing the consumption of corn, and corn is a crop that Canada can never produce. Thus there is a ray of sunshine even in the high price of wheat.

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Standard Oil interests are always far ahead of the general public in getting exact facts of any situation. Those interests have already passed the word out to a chosen few that crops in this country are safe for this year. They claim no special inside information from Providence. They have simply put scientific men to work digesting the weather and crop reports from every section of the Union. These experts have had sets of facts laid before them and they have rendered their verdict, subject only to such calamities as it is impossible for human science to foretell. Standard Oil always proceeds on the theory that the earth will continue to turn around once every twenty-four hours and that the seasons will follow in their appointed places.

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Having agreed that the crops shall mature, business boom and stocks advance, Wall street has some pretty problems to solve in detail. Some of them are almost absurd. For instance, Erie is compelled to sell at 87½ a bond that is secured by unpaid coupons of other securities. And yet Erie's convertible B bonds, which have some real security back of them and are a prior lien to these worse than unsecured new ones, sell at 72¾. How can Wall street justify the price of the new bonds? It is evident that Erie's securities must be taken in hand and manipulated to higher levels. The problem suggests a fine stock market gamble, but it must be done.

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The public is busy with schemes to distribute the assets of the coal railroads, and sooner or later this will be done, but the game has lost its flavor for professionals and they refuse to get excited until there is something definite.

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The copper list furnishes another contradictory situation. Amalgamated Copper is selling on a far better basis than British Consols. If its price is justified, the so-called porphyry coppers are not selling for one-third of their fair value. There is chance for a great boom in coppers, and rumors of a gigantic merger must be soon expected.

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It is probable the improvement in the steel industry over the last two weeks went a long way toward imparting strength to the copper situation. Many producers of copper have contended right along that copper moved in sympathy with steel, and that there could be no genuine improvement in the former product in the absence of a good market for steel. As is generally known, steel construction necessitates large quantities of copper, as well as electrical apparatus. The Steel Corporation, for example, is itself a large consumer of copper, perhaps the fifth largest in the country. Increased demand for steel means that the electric companies, railroad companies, consumers of wire and manufacturing companies in general are doing a larger business, which, in turn, indicates an increase in copper consumption. No boom in either copper or steel is under way. The improvement, it might be said, averages between 8 per cent. and 10 per cent. over the last six weeks or two months. This gradual improvement is unmistakable, an evidence of which is found in better prices for copper as well as steel.

Nothing succeeds like circulation. Advertise in the AMERICAN.

RECORD DEPOSITS IN NORTHWEST BANKS

MINNEAPOLIS, May 10.—Deposits in the State and National banks of Minnesota, North and South Dakota have reached the record total of $310,205,000, reflecting the great business activity of this part of the United States. While business the country over has been feeling the effects of a slowing down tendency, the bank deposits in Minneapolis trade territory increased in the past year $35,060,000.

$10,000,000

St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Company

General Lien 15-20 Year 5 Per Cent. Gold Bonds

DATED MAY 1, 1907. DUE MAY 1, 1927.
INTEREST PAYABLE SEMI-ANNUALLY, MAY 1ST AND NOVEMBER 1ST.
(Total Issue Limited to $109,850,400.)

Principal and Interest payable in New York in United States Gold Coin; or, at the holder's option, in London, in Sterling, at the rate of $4.86 per pound sterling; in Frankfort o|M or in Berlin, in Reichmarks at the rate of M.4.20 per dollar; in Amsterdam, in Guilders, at the rate of Fls. 2.48 per dollar; and in France, at the rate of Fcs. 5.16 per dollar.

The entire issue at any time outstanding, but not any part thereof, is subject to redemption at the option of the Railroad Company, on sixty days' previous notice, at 102½ and accrued interest on any interest day prior to May 1, 1922; and at par and accrued interest on May 1, 1922, or on any interest day subsequent thereto.

Coupon Bonds of $1,000 each, with privilege of registration.
Registered Bonds may be re-exchanged for Coupon Bonds.

THE BANKERS' TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK AND N. A. McMILLAN, TRUSTEES.

We offer the above bonds, subject to previous sale or advance in price, at 91 per cent. and accrued interest, at which price they will yield, if held to maturity, about 5⅞ per cent. income per annum.

These Bonds are a direct obligation of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company, and are secured by a mortgage and supplement thereto covering all the Company's property, as described in said mortgage, and any property hereafter acquired with the proceeds of such Bonds.

On June 1, 1909, the General Lien Bonds will become, upon redemption of the St. Louis, Memphis & Southeastern Railroad Company 4½ per cent. Bonds, a first mortgage on .... 665.20 miles
(Subject to only $480,125 existing Bonds, for the redemption of which General Lien Bonds are reserved.)

On or before October 1, 1913, this mortgage will practically become a first lien on additional .... 861.25 miles

Total First Lien .... 1,526.45 miles

The General Lien Mortgage is also a Lien subject to $85,000,000 Refunding or Underlying Bonds on additional .... 2,604.42 miles

Total .... 4,130.87 miles

It is further a lien on the stock of, and leasehold interest of the Company in, the Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis Railway and Kansas City, Memphis & Birmingham Railroad Company, aggregating .... 1,199.62 miles

Grand Total .... 5,330.49 miles.

The General Lien Bonds are further secured (subject to $8,767,000 of Serial Equipment Notes) on equipment costing originally $18,911,907, and comprising 311 locomotives, 84 passenger and 14,051 freight and other cars, which equipment, as provided in the mortgage, the Company agrees to keep in good repair and replace when destroyed.

The average surplus of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Company (exclusive of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois Railroad) for each of the four fiscal years 1908, 1907, 1906 and 1905, after providing for all fixed charges, taxes, rentals, etc., amounted to $1,987,728.

The gross and net earnings of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company (exclusive of the Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad) for the ten months ended April 30, 1909, are considerably in excess of those of last year.

Application has been made to list the Bonds on the New York Stock Exchange, and listing will be applied for in Europe.

For further information as to this issue of Bonds, reference is made to a letter from B. F. Yoakum, Esq., Chairman Executive Committee, of the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company, from which letter the above data were obtained.

SPEYER & CO., 24-26 Pine Street.

New York, May 10, 1909.

TO THE HOLDERS OF
ST. LOUIS, MEMPHIS AND SOUTHEASTERN RAILROAD COMPANY
5 Year 4½ per cent. Gold Bonds, Maturing June 1, 1909.

We will accept these Bonds at 100⅛ per cent. and accrued interest in payment for St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad Company General Lien 15-20 Year 5 per cent. Gold Bonds at the above price. This offer may be cancelled without notice.

New York, May 10, 1909.

SPEYER & CO.

Deaths.

BRADSHAW—In Revere, May 9, Roger Bradshaw, 70 yrs.

Services from residence of his daughter, Mrs. Alexander J. Miller, 12 Dana st., Tuesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

FARNUM—In Everett, May 8, Mary A. Farnum (nee McCarthy), formerly of Charlestown.

Funeral from her late residence, 15 Stevenson av., Tuesday, May 11, at 8:15 a. m. High mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

FLOWERS

EITHER loose or made up into beautiful and artistic arrangements for any purpose required at most reasonable prices. We also offer helpful suggestions. Telephone orders very carefully attended to.

J. NEWMAN & SONS, 24 TREMONT ST.

(Tel. 4410 Main.)

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—At W. S. Butler's store, a brown alligator hand bag, containing valuable papers and keys which are of no value only to the owner; reward. 24 Chauncey pl., Jamaica Plain.

LOST—Boston & Maine trip book between Boston and Lowell. Finder return to E. B. CLIFTON, 64 Thirteenth st., Lowell, Mass., and receive reward.

Information Wanted.

SECRET INVESTIGATIONS MADE AND RELIABLE INFORMATION secretly secured for legal or private purposes, family ancestry traced, expert service, low rates, estab. 1890. Telephone Main 2921. MASS. SECRET SERVICE, 42 Court st., Boston.

IN REGARDS to address of John Nelson, formerly with the Meisel Press Mfg. Co., answer, as it is a matter of great benefit to himself. THE CHORALCELO MFG. CO., 33 Broad st., or L 332, Boston American.

Male Help Wanted.

HUSTLING ADVERTISING SOLICITORS wanted—To right men good salary and permanent employment on clean, progressive, city daily. Only men unafraid of hard work and possessing strong personality, combined with neat, prepossessing appearance, need address R 315, Boston American.

A LEADING Boston concern has an opening for several high-class salesmen on new and very attractive financial proposition of highest merit; chance to earn big money. For interview see MR. SMITH, 520 Old South Bldg., 10 to 12.

A LARGE and old established Massachusetts corporation doing a very successful business is to open a branch office in this city and desires the services of an able and energetic manager; only one financially responsible and whose integrity will bear the strictest investigation and who is able to make a reasonable investment in the business, if required, will be considered. For personal interview address CORPORATION, 406-409 Merchants Bank bldg., New Bedford, Mass.

A BOSTON firm wishes to communicate with a gentleman of taste who can devote several hours daily to light artistic work at home. Address M 98, Boston American.

HALL'S BARBER COLLEGE, 814 Washington st., Boston.—Chance for men and boys to earn $10 to $20 weekly, $5 Saturdays; positions in city, country, hotel barber shops, summer resorts, etc.

RELIABLE MAN ... well educated and possessing some knowledge of salesmanship; successful man could ... to managerial position worth $40 weekly. Apply in person, J. J. O'MEARA, 144 High st.

WANTED—A first-class stock cantendar man for high-grade automobile tire company in Mass.; state experience and wages expected and when able to report for work. Address K 346, Boston American.

WANTED—Weavers on white work, none but good weavers need apply; steady work. FRANKLIN MILLS, Franklin, N. H.

Male—Miscellaneous.

Union Hat Co.

Opposite the Union St. Tunnel

Big Bargains At Our Tuesday's Sale

GET NEXT to our big bargains; the wise ones read our ads; bluffs don't go; when we advertise we deliver the goods; it's up to you now to get in line for the very best values in Boston at our bargain sale Tuesday.

WHY PAY MORE? we sell the best $5 genuine Panama hats at only $3.98 Tuesday.

DON'T FORGET—Fine alpaca summer coats, value $2.50, our Tuesday's price $1.48; buy now.

BIG MEN'S SHIRTS, all kinds; we fit the biggest of them; great values at 49c, 69c and 89c; come and see them.

ALL TUESDAY SHOPPERS bear it in mind—We give double Legal stamps till noon with the greatest bargains in Boston.

MOTORMEN'S, teamsters' and cabmen's regulation brown straw hats, best quality, 49c.

DON'T PAY high prices; men's $1 summer office coats, our low price 49c.

MEN'S LOW CUT tan dress shoes, famous $3 Lion brand, our bargain price $1.90 a pair Tuesday.

ANOTHER big shoe leader, the St. Regis, best $2 low-cut tan shoes, only $1.47 Tuesday.

MEN'S INDIGO BLUE serge suits, cut in the latest style, sold elsewhere at $12, our trade building price $7.40 Tuesday.

GET YOUR CLOTHING at our store, newest olive green worsted suits, all custom fitting, $15 values at $9.40 Tuesday.

SENNET SAILOR straw hats, all the go this summer, we sell the $2.50 qualities at $1.40 Tuesday.

SEE THESE BARGAINS, automobile drivers' best double-breasted $5 auto duster coats $2.98 Tuesday.

BE IN STYLE—Billy hats, all the rage, for men and boys, for summer wear, 49c; see them in our windows.

FARMERS' shade straw hats, Mexican straw hats, children's straw hats, biggest variety and the lowest prices in Boston, Tuesday.

BUY NOW, save money, men's sneaker shoes, the regular $1 kinds, all colors, 59c Tuesday.

MEN'S WHITE DUCK HATS, men's khaki caps, real, genuine bargains, for Tuesday 19c.

ONE HUNDRED DOZEN of new plaited $1 negligee shirts, from the best makers in the country, sale price 59c.

BEST 50c POLICE and firemen's braces 23c; President braces, all weights, 35c; C. M. C. and Boston garters 13c.

MONEY SAVING PRICES—$1 men's white duck pants 69c, cooks' and chefs' best white aprons 23c, cooks' and chefs' white caps, all styles, 17c.

ON SALE—50 dozen men's fine quality summer balbriggan shirts and drawers only 23c a garment Tuesday.

DON'T PAY HIGH PRICES—B. V. D. style men's 50c underwear, our bargain price 29c a garment Tuesday.

WITHOUT A DOUBT we carry the largest line of workingmen's shirts in Boston, sizes to fit all men, at 49c.

WORKINGMEN'S GLOVES and mittens, the largest variety in Boston, at wholesale or retail, great big bargains at 25c, 35c, 49c and 69c a pair Tuesday.

SPECIAL TUESDAY, boys' $1 Jersey sweaters 49c, men's fine $2 Jersey sweaters 98c, extra fine $3 coat sweaters $1.95 Tuesday.

DRESS GLOVE bargains Tuesday, $1 cape gloves 49c, silk lined $1.25 dress gloves 79c, finest $1.50 dress gloves 98c.

BUY at our store and get double trading stamps till noon Tuesday; men's pant bargains, $1.50, pants 98c, good $2.50 pants $1.48, finest $3.50 pants made $2.48 Tuesday.

TUESDAY—$5 new style leather traveling bags $2.98, best $7.50 quality $4.48, finest $10 leather traveling bags $6.95.

MEN, TAKE NOTICE—Hunting and fishing clothing of all kinds, from head to foot, for all seasons of the year, prices the lowest on earth.

TRUNKS at big bargain prices; $10 canvas trunks $5.95, best $7.50 zinc trunks at $4.23, best $6 steamer trunks at $3.95; remember, we give Legal stamps.

GET READY for summer; men's $1.25 khaki pants 79c; best made $1.50 khaki pants and coats 98c each; special low prices in quantities.

MEN'S soft felt working hats, a big variety of colors and styles to pick from, at 49c each.

BIGGEST ASSORTMENT of men's overalls and jumper coats in Boston; Carter's Sweet Orrs, Headlight, and other brands; our prices are always the lowest, and we give Legal stamps.

MEN'S RUBBER COAT BARGAINS—$7.50 rubber coats $4.98, Standard $5 rubber coats $3.98, best made $4 rubber coats $2.48 Tuesday.

BUY THEM at our store and save money; men's rubber boots, waterproof oil suits, long oil coats, rainy day hats; all kinds at bargain prices.

TUESDAY SPECIALS—Heavy white canvas gloves 75c a dozen pairs best straw cuffs 3c a pair, and hundreds of other bargains in every department, with double Legal stamps till noon Tuesday.

UNION HAT CO.

139 HANOVER ST.

51-53 and 55 UNION STREET

Male—Miscellaneous.

A BRIGHT MAN can learn to run a moving picture machine in a few days; salary $20 week. We want five men at once. Call or write. REID'S THEATRICAL BUREAU, 180 Tremont st.

ANY INTELLIGENT person may earn good income corresponding for newspapers; experience unnecessary; send for particulars. PRESS SYNDICATE, 717, Lockport, N. Y.

AUTOMOBILE road lessons, day or evening, on 4-cylinder gasoline cars. Apply at garage, 20 River st., off Beacon st., near Charles st.

FIREMEN wanted to get their watches repaired at J. S. ROUND & CO.'S, 734 Washington st.; mainsprings 25c.

I MADE $50,000 in five years in the mail order business; began with $5, anyone can start a mail order business at home; send for free booklet, tells how. HEACOCK, 823, Lockport, N. Y.

SHOEMAKERS—Goodyear welting, rounding or stitching, $75; cutting, vamping, edge trimming, or setting, $35; lasting, $15; stitching, $10; jobs guaranteed. BROWN'S SHOE SCHOOL, Old Item Building, Lynn.

WANTED—Railway mail clerks; May examinations; preparation free. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 450, Rochester, N. Y.

25 MEN wanted at once to learn to drive and repair automobiles and taxicabs in my repair shop. Call or enclose stamp for particulars. JOHN G. REED, 509 Tremont st., Boston.

Male Situations Wanted.

A FIRST-CLASS CHEF, competent and economical, would like engagement for the summer; no better man to be found on meats, soups and entrees; best of references as to ability and character; 7 years with last house, but desire to make a change. Address V 347, Boston American.

ACCOUNTANT, auditor, systematizer; will keep several sets of books, day or evening, or open new sets; expert, faithful, confidential work; highest reference. W 96, Boston American.

A YOUNG MAN, 15 years exp. and capital wishes position in groc. and prov. store; or will start same with man with small capital; now working, best ref. T 392, Boston American.

A GOOD MEAT CUTTER would like a situation; best of references; can cut fish or handle groceries; capable of taking charge. C. E. C., 6 Redington st., Swampscott, Mass.

A YOUNG, neat appearing man desires position as all-round man on gent's place or a hotel. Address C. F. H., 3 Smith st. place, Roxbury, Mass.

ALL-ROUND cake, bread and pastry baker; take charge or second hand. 43 Tennyson st., Back Bay.

AD WRITER, solicitor, furniture salesman desires position, any locality. F. H. J., 625 Columbus av., Boston.

BOOKKEEPER, correspondent and translator, 28, 10 years' experience, wants position, city or country, excellent references; about $18 weekly. K 333, Boston American.

BAKER—First-class bread and pastry; city or country; last position 11 years. 29 Baldwin st., Cambridge.

BOY, 18, would like work on farm for summer. Address C. P., 117A Green st., Jamaica Plain, Mass.

BAKER—Scotchman, wants a job, 2d or 3d, on nights, in or near Boston preferred. BAKER, 21 Holman st., Allston, Mass.

CHAUFFEUR-MECHANIC wants position; private family preferred; expr. in gasolene cars; good habits and best of references; will go anywhere. A. R. W., 29 Jenkins av., Whitman, Mass.

CHEF—Strictly temperate, good all round cook, wants position, go anywhere. CHEF, 4 Rutland sq.

CHAUFFEUR—Thoroughly trained at sensible school, work cheap for further experience on private car; fine reference. MILLS, West Berlin, Mass.

COLORED MAN wants general work; can come well recommended; age 30; give me a trial. C. G., 202 Northampton st.

CARPENTER wants position in hotel or all kinds of work. CARPENTER, 2 Hanson st., city.

DO YOU WANT a Yankee with tact, ability, personality; experienced, managing, directing, selling, office work; married; best references. Address O 71, Boston American.

EXPERIENCED chauffeur wants position, can take care of car, all round man, does most any kind of work, 8 years in last job; reference. X 380, Boston American.

EXP. BOOKKEEPER and cashier, h. s. g., would like position. M. E., 287 Western av., Camb.

FIREMAN that holds a second class license will go to work in city or country, able to work and does not use liquor. Call H. PULKIN, 10 Cottage sq., Fitchburg, Mass.

GERMAN LOCKSMITH, first-class worker, wants position. 243 Roxbury st., Boston, Mass.

ICE CREAM MAKER—Young man experienced in making ice cream and candy wants position anywhere. K 331, Boston American.

MAINE man desires situation as paper ruler, 18 months' experience with Eastern Mfg. Co., Bangor. P 93, Boston American.

MAN with 18 years' experience in railroad freight business wishes position with commercial house. X 378, Boston American.

MAN AND WIFE, colored, would like situation in family, out of city preferred. C. M. J., 782 Main st., Camb., Mass., suite 4.

MERCHANDISE BROKER, capable of assuming charge where ability and integrity required, would like situation. F 360, Boston American.

PACKER wants situation; understands glass, china, silverware and chandeliers. Address PACKER, 12 Jenny Lind st., Taunton, Mass.

POSITION as caretaker of property, city or country; married. F 366, Boston American.

REGISTERED PHARMACIST desires position as manager or head clerk. Capable, up-to-date, no habits. P 310, Boston American.

STENOGRAPHER—Beginner, with little experience, will start for small salary. H. I. RICHMOND, 214 Chestnut st., Chelsea, Mass.

WANTED—Position as manager or foreman in wagon factory, long experience with one of the best firms in the country; best of references. Address 358 Main st., Medford, Mass.

WANTED—A position as a plumber's helper or to learn the trade; will furnish good reference. Apply to 47 Liberty st., Westerly, R. I.

WOULD LIKE position as chauffeur, first-class repairer, best of references. F. H. EATON, 15 Western pl., Rox.

YOUNG reliable colored man would do general work or work in private family; is strictly temperate, is not afraid of work, has references. Address CHAS. RICHARDSON, 34 Flagg st., suite 3, Boston.

YOUNG MAN from country, some city experience, wants work as porter in summer hotel; has worked at same before; best references. Address X 385, Boston American.

YOUNG MAN, 20 years of age, wants work; will go anywhere; speaks English, German and Polish. CARL, 744 Shawmut av., Rox.

YOUNG MAN, single, bright and has sober and industrious habits, wishes work of any kind. M 63, Boston American.

Agents and Canvassers Wanted.

AGENTS WANTED—One live man or woman in each town in New England to handle the Magic Duster; needed in every home; boys and girls can sell them after school; a 10-year-old boy sold 30 one afternoon; send 25 cents for sample and instructions. J. L. HAMMETT, 90 Canal st., Boston.

AGENTS—Send 10c stamps, receive enough extract and formula to make ½ pint excellent hair tonic, hairgrower and dandruff cure, 25c for full pint, $1 for 5 pints; none cheaper or better. SEYFARTH, 79 Fullerton, Chicago, Illinois.

BIG PAY, house to house canvassers, selling raisins. 24 Guild Row, near Dudley terminal.

EXPERIENCE unnecessary to handle our latest household necessity; sight sales, big profits; repeat orders multiply; postal request for "Booklet A." RADIO CO., Lynn, Mass., box 293.

WANTED—Live men everywhere, and especially in Boston to sell the Chemical Fire Extinguisher; a necessary article for every home, workshop, factory, etc.; demand very good. Address Lock Box No. 1, Mattapan, Mass.

WOMAN'S CHANCE to make $20 a week at home; will you let us tell you how? Success sure; instructions free; don't miss it. PARIS CO., Box 51, Dept. 2, Melrose, Mass.

Female Help Wanted.

A LEADING Boston concern has an opening for several high-class lady representatives on new and very attractive financial proposition of highest merit; chance to earn big money. For interview see MR. SMITH, 520 Old South Bldg., 10 to 12.

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A WIDOW of refinement and good appearance would like position in doctor's or dentist's office as assistant; would be generally useful, attend to correspondence, etc; or any office or business where an assistant is required. Address MRS. FLORENCE SEYMOUR, Andover, Mass.

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A TRAINED NURSE wants steady position, private family, insane or any other sickness; $15 a week. Write to MISS KULBERG, Box 873, Milford, N. H.

A NEAT COL. GIRL wants day's work, laundry or housecleaning, one not afraid to work; will go anywhere. MRS. W. H., 25 Willard pl., suite 2, Roxbury.

A CAPABLE young woman would like housekeeper's situation in a small family. Address 187 Seventh st., So. Boston, Mass.

A COLORED WOMAN would like laundry to take home. Write or call, MRS. B. M., 32 Camden st., city.

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A MIDDLE AGED American lady would like a situation as working housekeeper in a widower's family. MRS. ADAMS, 681 Tremont st.

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A RESPECTABLE woman wants work by day or hour, city preferred. 15 Dover st.

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BY RELIABLE COLORED WOMAN, plain or fancy sewing (good hand at hand embroidery and laces), by day or take home; call or write. 7 McLellan st., Roxbury, 2nd floor.

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SITUATION for housekeeper or charge of suite; can give reference; address or call, 15A Chambers st., Boston.

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Legal and Public Notices.

TO TAXPAYERS.

Assessors' Office, City Hall.
Boston, May 1, 1909.

Attention is called to the notice posted throughout the city, relative to making returns on property subject to taxation.

Returns should be made as early as possible, and not later than 2 o'clock p. m., June 15.

Per order of the Board of Assessors.

CHARLES E. FOLSOM, Secretary.

CITY OF BOSTON—TO CONTRACTORS—The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for constructing a macadam roadway in Carmen street, between Shafter and Kilton streets, Dorchester, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office, filled out, signed by the bidder and left at said office before 12 M. of Wednesday, May 12, 1909, with a certified check for $300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will at said hour and place be publicly opened and read. The undersigned reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders agreeing to pay the trade unions' rate of wages, and the right to reject any and all proposals, and no proposal will be accepted unless a fair, reasonable price is bid for each item. The proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Macadam Roadway in Carmen street." GUY C. EMERSON, Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 1, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON—TO CONTRACTORS—The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Boston, office 47 City Hall invites proposals for constructing a macadam roadway in Radcliffe street, between Harvard and Faxon streets, Dorchester, and giving bond therefor of a surety company approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office, filled out, signed by the bidder and left at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Thursday, May 13, 1909, with a certified check for $300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will at said hour and place be publicly opened and read. The undersigned reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders agreeing to pay the trade unions' rates of wages, and the right to reject any and all proposals, and no proposal will be accepted unless a fair, reasonable price is bid for each item. The proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Macadam Roadway in Radcliffe street." GUY C. EMERSON, Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 1, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON—TO CONTRACTORS—The Superintendent of Streets of the city of Boston, office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Newcastle road, between Faneuil and Hobson streets, Brighton, and giving bond therefor of a surety company, approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office, filled out and signed by the bidder and left at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Thursday, May 13, 1909, with a certified check for $300, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will at said hour and place be publicly opened and read. The undersigned reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders agreeing to pay the trade unions' rates of wages and the right to reject any or all proposals. The proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Artificial Stone Sidewalks in Newcastle Road." GUY C. EMERSON, Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 4, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON—TO CONTRACTORS—The Superintendent of Streets of the city of Boston, office 47 City Hall, invites proposals for constructing artificial stone sidewalks in Carmen street, between Shafter and Kilton streets, Dorchester, and giving bond therefor of a surety company, approved by the superintendent. Only proposals obtained at said office, filled out and signed by the bidder and left at said office before 12 o'clock M. of Friday, May 14, 1909, with a certified check for $200, payable to and to be the property of the city if the proposal is not carried out, will at said hour and place be publicly opened and read. The undersigned reserves the right to give preference to the proposals of bidders agreeing to pay the trade unions' rates of wages and the right to reject any or all proposals. The proposal should be inclosed in an envelope, sealed and marked "Proposal for Artificial Stone Sidewalks in Carmen Street." GUY C. EMERSON, Superintendent of Streets. Boston, May 4, 1909.

CITY OF BOSTON—To the Building Commissioner: Parker Mfg. Co. requests permission to erect and use a gas engine of 40-h. p., at 6 Clifton st., Ward 17.

May 10, 1909.

It is hereby ordered that ten days' notice be given by the petitioner to all parties interested, when any objections may be filed with the Commissioner in writing. Said petition to be published in the Boston American. ARTHUR G. EVERETT, Building Commissioner.

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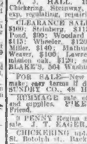

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These Are Prosperous Days—For Those at the Top

Not Quite the Same AT THE BOTTOM, but That Will Come

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They raised Mr. Taft's salary from $50,000 to $75,000. And now a bill is proposed to provide for him $25,000 more to pay his travelling expenses.

The people will not object to paying Mr. Taft $75,000, if he needs it, and if he will remember THAT THE PEOPLE PAY IT, and not the public robbers.

The people will feel, perhaps, that $25,000 annually for travelling expenses is a good deal. There is no special reason why the President of a population in which the average income is far below $1,000 a year should spend $25,000 a year of poor people's money for railroad travel.

But they would rather pay that than have the railroads foot the bill and own half the President.

These are good times for the big men that own the country, and for the people's big representatives whom the big men want to oblige. One gentleman in Congress wants to have the nation build for Mr. Taft a "train de luxe," a magnificent collection of palaces on wheels, like those built for European rulers.

We imagined over here that we had got away from such things, but we have not. If we keep on at the present rate, those now living will see a President with at least a million dollars a year salary, and another million for general expenses.

The wealth of this country is not yet dreamed of. The folly and extravagance that it is destined to breed here have never been even faintly foreshadowed in the past.

These are the days of big men, "big money," big spending, and BIG POPULATIONS WITH A VERY LITTLE TO SAY ABOUT THEIR GOVERNMENT.

A million dollars now easily rules a million men, for these are the days when the dollars do the fighting. In the old days, when the fighters were soldiers, a few organized soldiers could control many men. Organized dollars are the soldiers with which the big men fight, and these dollars rule.

However, it will not be thus always.

Very slowly, through the ages, men have been struggling for real freedom. They escaped the real animal fear when they shivered at the sound of the thunder and saw strange gods in the wind and rain.

They escaped from the more subtle fear of superstition when fat and well-paid barbarous priests in pagan Egypt and elsewhere sucked the blood of the poor on earth, and in return promised to deliver them from torture hereafter.

Men have escaped from bodily slavery, and from serfdom. They have escaped the rack, the thumb-screw, the burning alive.

They have even escaped from the rule of the autocratic tyrant, and they have little fear of the armed soldier.

Eventually they will escape from the rule of the dollar, and then—perhaps in a few centuries, perhaps later—humanity itself will rule.

To-day men in Congress worry because the President gets only $75,000 a year. In the future, perhaps, they will think less of that and more of the fact that tens of thousands of teachers get less than half a thousand a year, and nine-tenths of all the population so little that life is at best a long struggle with anxiety, uncertainty and discouragement.

If the people want better conditions, they must take a lesson from the big men. They must THINK, AND ACT, AND STICK TOGETHER.

Meanwhile, may Mr. Taft enjoy his $75,000 salary, his $25,000 for travel, and whatever else they give him, and may he remember that, while the big men kindly give him this through their agents in Congress, THE LITTLE PEOPLE PAY THE BILLS.

"Further Mind Tests for The Monkey"

That's the Heading on a News Story. What Does It Suggest to You?

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Professor Haggerty, of Harvard, went over to New York and made some interesting studies in monkey psychology in the monkey house in the Bronx Zoological Garden.

Mr. Riley, a keeper in the monkey house, is to continue these studies and write a book on the brains of monkeys.

We believe that Professor Haggerty was much impressed by the inability of the monkeys TO LEARN BY EXPERIENCE.

Some wise person remarked, "Wise men are taught by other men's experience; fools by their own." The monkeys are not taught by any kind of experience.

No monkey, as you know, ever learned to light a fire. They lived on the earth for tens of thousands of years before men came here, without learning anything about fire. And to-day the most intelligent monkeys will sit around a fire on a cold night, after the hunters have moved on: they will watch the fire go out, and then they will hug each other and shiver—not one knows enough to put a stick on the fire and keep it going.

No monkey ever knew enough to go out and collect snakes' eggs and destroy them. And none of them ever knew enough to make it his business to kill all the young snakes early in the season, before they got big enough to do any harm.

Snakes grow up and eat the young monkeys—and from that, they say, comes the human being's modern horror of snakes—especially the women's horror. The mother monkey was shocked every little while by seeing her babies' hind legs disappear down the throat of some big snake. Modern mothers, descended from her, never got over it.

Very interesting is the study of the minds of monkeys.

But wouldn't it be a good idea to get Professor Haggerty and Mr. Riley of the Zoo to turn their backs on the monkey house a while, and study "the minds of voters"?

In the language of the day, do you really think the ordinary voter "has anything on" the ordinary monkey?

How much does a voter learn in the course of his long life of earnest yelling and frivolous voting?

The monkeys, at least, do not divide themselves up into two camps and fight each other, labelling themselves Democratic monkeys and Republican monkeys, while the snakes and leopards boss the job and eat up the fattest monkeys. That's the sort of monkey work that only modern American voters are capable of.

Some modern muckraking magazine that wants to make a sensation ought to hire Professor Haggerty, of Harvard, and look him up at a polling place on Election Day. He would see things there that would make the monkey house look like a congested nest of solons.

'Twas But a Dream

By T. E. Powers

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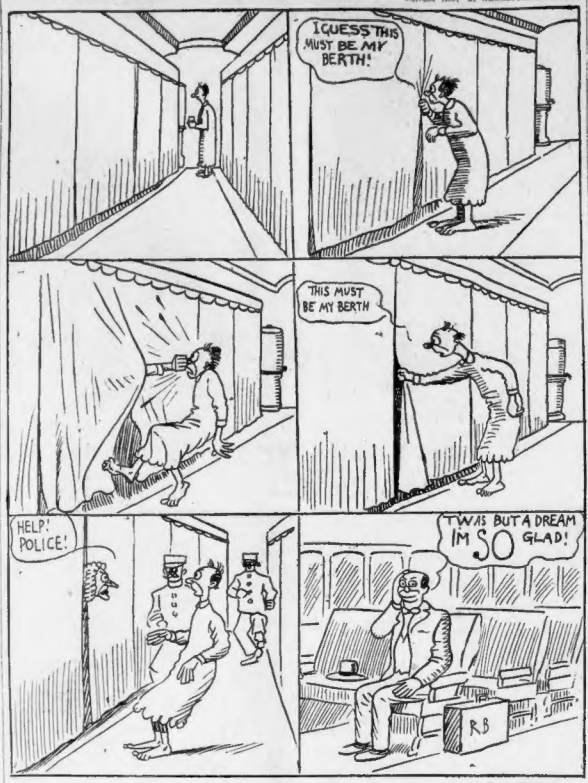
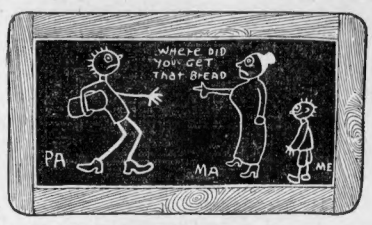


Little Bobbie's Pa

By William F. Kirk

THE picter on my shilt to-day is a picter of my Pa ex-plaining things to my Ma. My Pa is having a awful hard time of ex-plaining.

Wen Pa went down town in the morning he kissed Ma & sed he wud be hoam erly, so they cud go out together & look at flats. I am sick of living in hotels, Pa sed to Ma wen he went away in the morning. You see, Pa sed, there is so many things you see in a hotel wich you want the milnit you see them, & that brings up the cost very high. So I will be hoam, deerest luv, Pa sed, about (4) o'clock, & you & me will go & look at flats.



Wen Pa was gone, Ma sed to me, Bobbie, I don't like to say anything to you wich mite seem like a knock agenst yure father, but wen he calls me deerest luv in the morning, it seems a sure sine that he has cumming hoam wen he says he will cum hoam at nite. I have a strainge premoinshun this brite May morning, sed Ma, that yure father will be very late reching the old hoamsted tonite. Far be it from me, Ma sed to me, to be a slanick, but my hair is becumming tinged with gray, sed I do not fall for that Deerest Luv comedy the way I used to in the erly yeers of my wedded life.

Sure enuff, Ma was rite. It calm four (4) o'clock in the afternoon, & I got hoam from skool. Pa didest cum. Then it got five (5) o'clock & Pa didjest cum. Then it got six o'clock, and all the honest laboring men calm hoam with thare dinner pails, but Pa didest cum. & he didest cum at seven o'clock ether. & he didnt cum at eight (8) o'clock, it was half past eight (8) wen he calm in.

How are you, deerest luv, sed Ma. Wat detained you, a rock in the Subway? Or was it a smash up on the elevated? Or perhaps a surfis car ran off the track? Slip me the truth, deerest luv, sed Ma, & by the way, wat in the world have you in that big package?

It is bred, Pa sed, bred. Twenty loaves of the preshus staff of life. I think it must be a little wet, beckaus it rained wile I was on the way hoam, but nevertheless it is bred, & my loving son & my darling wife shall not feel the pange of starvashun.

You see, wife, sed Pa, it was like this. I herd that the price of bred was going up aggen & I went into every bake shop I cud reech & I bought all the bred I cud carry, thus keeping the wolf of famine from our door. Now, sed Pa, after staggering under my heevy load all the way up town, I enter my house hold moar ded than alive, with enuff preshus bred to keep us in good condishun for three (3) weeks, & wat do I find? Wat do I find? sed Pa aggene. I find my wife glaring at me like a enraged tigress. I find my littel son looking at me with stern & accusing eyes. I find my hoam disrupted, Pa sed, & all beckaus I cuddent git hoam any sooner with the food wich will keep the breth of life in our bodies. Ah, well, sed Pa. Ah well. Then Pa fell on the floar & all the bred rolled out all over the room. There was thirty-three loaves, sum white & sum rye bred.

Then Ma took Pa by the ear & lifted him up. Now see here, sed Ma, I am going to ask you a few moar questions. Ware did you git this bred? I bought it, sed Pa. How much did it cost? sed Ma. You had twenty dollers wen you left the house this morning, Ma sed.

Well, sed Pa, it cost $18 dollers. The price was differnt in the differnt plateos, but the whole prise was 18 $ dollers. Of course, Pa sed, you must bear in mind that the white bred cost moar than the rye.

Is that so, sed Ma. Judging by yure condishun, Ma sed, I think the rye cost moar than the white bred. Now go to bed, Ma sed. Quick, sed Ma.

& then Pa went to bed.

THE THOUGHTFUL CONVICT

"Yes," said the warder, "he was the coolest and most thoughtful convict who ever broke jail. He left behind him a note to the governor of the prison, beginning: 'I hope you will pardon me for the liberty I am taking.'"

Now, What Do You Think of That?

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Isn't it tough when your boss makes you break an appointment with your girl—

And she refuses to listen to your explanation—

And throws you over for your friend Jack—

—Your successful rival expects you to congratulate him.

If It Weren't for Father

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